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*Annual*—Births; Deaths; Marriages; Estimated Age Distribution, States and Territories; Population, Principal Cities and Towns.

*Periodic*—Projections of the Population; Census of the Commonwealth, 30 June 1966; Canberra Population Count, 31 December 1970.

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*Quarterly*—Industrial Disputes; The Labour Force.

*Annual*—Trade Unions.

### III. PRIMARY AND SECONDARY INDUSTRIES—

#### PRIMARY—

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*Monthly*—Chicken Hatchings and Poultry Slaughterings; Dairying; Meat Industry Minerals and Mineral Products

*Periodic*—Preliminary results of Economic Census of Mining Establishments.

#### SECONDARY—

*Annual*—Factories—Summary of Principal Statistics\*; Indexes of Factory Production; Factory Products—Principal.

*Monthly*—Production\*; Production Summaries (a series of fifty-two summaries, each dealing with a particular commodity or group of commodities).

*Periodic*—Preliminary results of Economic Census of Manufacturing Establishments and Electricity and Gas Establishments.

### IV. BUILDING—

*Quarterly*—Building\*.

*Monthly*—Building Approvals.

*Annual*—Building and Construction.

### V. CAPITAL EXPENDITURE BY PRIVATE BUSINESSES IN AUSTRALIA—

*Quarterly*—Capital and Maintenance Expenditure by Private Businesses in Australia\*.

### VI. TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION—

*Annual*—Motor Vehicle Registrations.

*Quarterly*—Road Traffic Accidents involving Casualties; Overseas Shipping Cargo.

*Monthly*—Motor Vehicle Registrations\*; Road accident statistics.

*Periodic*—Census of Motor Vehicles, 31 December 1962.

\* Also preliminary statements

## VII. RETAIL SALES AND WHOLESALE SALES;—

*Quarterly*—Instalment Credit for Retail Sales; Retail Sales of Goods\*.

*Monthly*—Instalment Credit for Retail Sales; Retail Sales of Goods\*.

*Periodic*—Census of Retail Establishments and Other Services, 1961–62. Preliminary results of Economic Census of Retail Establishments, etc.; Preliminary results of Economic Census of Wholesale Establishments.

## VIII. OVERSEAS TRADE—

*Annual*—Overseas Trade (Preliminary Bulletins); Trade of Australia with Eastern Countries.

*Quarterly*—Australian Overseas Trade with Major Groups of Countries; Exports and Imports at Constant Prices; Highlights of Overseas Trade Statistics.

*Monthly*—Exports of Principal Products of Australian Origin; Imports of Assembled New Passenger Motor Cars; Overseas Trade, Part 1 Exports; Part 2 Imports; Overseas Trade Exports and Imports by Commodity Divisions.

## IX. BALANCE OF PAYMENTS—

*Half-yearly*—Balance of Payments.

*Quarterly*—Balance of Payments.

## X. NATIONAL ACCOUNTS—

*Quarterly*—Quarterly Estimates of National Income and Expenditure.

*Annual*—Australian National Accounts—Preliminary Statements.

## XI. PRIVATE FINANCE—

*Annual*—Finance Companies; Overseas Investment\*.

*Quarterly*—New Capital Raisings\*; Unit Trusts, Land Trusts and Mutual Funds.

*Monthly*—Banking (Trading and Savings Banks)\*; Finance Companies; Life Insurance; Permanent Building Societies; Savings Banks Housing Finance Transactions.

## XII. PUBLIC FINANCE—

*Annual*—Commonwealth, State and Territory Taxation Collections.

## XIII. SOCIAL STATISTICS—

*Quarterly*—Divorce.

*Annual*—Divorce; Schools\*; Universities\*; Colleges of Advanced Education and Teachers Colleges; Hospitals and Nursing Homes.

## XIV. WAGES AND PRICES—

*Quarterly*—Consumer Price Index; Average Weekly Earnings.

*Monthly*—Wage Rates and Earnings; Export Price Index; Wholesale Price Index of Materials used in Building other than House Building; Wholesale Price Index of Materials used in House Building.

*Digest of Current Economic Statistics*—a general monthly publication containing a selection of ninety-four economic indicators, sixty-six of which show both original and seasonally adjusted figures. The Digest also contains eighty-four graphs.

*Seasonally Adjusted Indicators 1971*—contains original and seasonally adjusted data in tabular and graphical form for one hundred and two selected series which are up-dated in relevant monthly and quarterly Bureau publications.

Complete lists of the publications issued by the Central and State Offices of this Bureau are given in the annual *Publications of the Commonwealth Bureau of Census and Statistics* available from the Commonwealth Statistician. A subject index for Central Office publications is also provided therein. This annual publication is supplemented by issues of the *Monthly Statement of Publications issued by the Commonwealth Bureau of Census and Statistics*.

\* Also preliminary statements.

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## SECTION I. POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS

*Population estimates* are obtained by taking into account statistics of population increase in conjunction with the results of population censuses. For Australia as a whole, statistics of population increase take account of natural increase and net overseas migration.

The estimated population in each State or Territory represents the population ascertained at the Census plus recorded natural increase and recorded net gain from overseas migration for that State or Territory; gains and corresponding losses that result from movements between States and Territories are also taken into account in so far as they are recorded as transfers of State of residence under child endowment procedures or Commonwealth electoral procedures or are indicated by the results of any special count. Holiday, business or other similar short-term movements between States and Territories are not taken into account. As records of migration by State or Territory are not complete, the estimated State and Territory populations so derived are approximate and are subject to revision when the actual population of each State is ascertained at the next Census. For some States such revisions were substantial after the 1966 Census.

As a consequence of the omission of holiday, business or other similar short-term movements between States and Territories the marked seasonal movements in the population of some States due to interstate holiday movements are not reflected in the estimates since June 1961. However, the following two aspects of seasonal movements are reflected in the estimated populations of the States.

- (i) People who were on holiday or other short-term travel interstate at the time of the Census are counted in the population of the State where they spent Census night.
- (ii) There is some seasonal movement in the population of Australia as a whole which is due to movements of tourists and other visitors from overseas and of Australians travelling overseas for short periods.

The results of the 1966 Census have been taken into account in the preparation of these population estimates. Population estimates in issues prior to that for March quarter 1968 (No. 267), as well as the census populations at 30 June 1966 shown in Census publications, exclude particulars of full-blood Aborigines as required by Section 127 of the Constitution prior to its repeal in 1967.

Vital statistics for periods prior to 1967 exclude full-blood Aborigines. Differences between the statistics now published and those formerly published which implied the exclusion of Aboriginal vital events, cannot be taken as reliable statistics of births, deaths or marriages among full-blood Aborigines, because in many areas no satisfactory administrative or other basis existed for distinguishing vital events among full-blood Aborigines from those among part-Aborigines or the rest of the population.

### AREA AND POPULATION

State or Territory	Area— square miles	Estimated population ('000)			
		31 March 1971			Capital cities <sup>(a)</sup> 30 June 1970
		Males	Females	Persons	
New South Wales .. ..	309,433	2,335.9	2,317.1	4,653.0	2,780.3
Victoria .. ..	87,884	1,758.4	1,744.1	3,502.5	2,425.3
Queensland .. ..	667,000	926.4	903.7	1,830.1	853.0
South Australia .. ..	380,070	594.3	587.6	1,181.9	825.4
Western Australia .. ..	975,920	514.0	497.1	1,011.2	663.0
Tasmania .. ..	26,383	200.1	196.5	396.5	150.9
Northern Territory .. ..	520,280	40.7	35.1	75.9	(b) 32.9
Australian Capital Territory ..	939	74.2	69.0	143.2	(c) 146.5
Australia .. ..	2,967,909	6,444.0	6,350.2	12,794.2	..

(a) The figures shown relate to the capital city statistical division boundaries adopted at the 1966 Census for statistical purposes. The boundaries enclose areas expected to be in close economic and social contact with respective urban centres for the next two or three decades. An outline of the criteria used in determining these boundaries is given in 'Explanatory Notes on the Delimitation of Urban Boundaries for Statistical Purposes', Census Field Count Statement No. 4, pp. 2-4. (b) Greater Darwin area; the population of City of Darwin at 30 June 1970 was 28.2 thousand. (c) Canberra Statistical District; includes the population of Queanbeyan (15.0 thousand) in New South Wales. The population of Canberra City District was 140.4 thousand at 31 March 1971.

## POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS

ESTIMATED POPULATION  
(<sup>'000</sup>)

Year	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
At 30 JUNE									
1966(a)	4,237.9	3,220.2	1,674.3	1,095.0	848.1	371.4	56.5	96.0	11,599.5
1967	4,306.9	3,274.4	1,701.6	1,111.5	876.4	376.4	59.3	(b)103.6	11,810.2
1968	4,381.4	3,323.4	1,732.3	1,125.2	909.4	382.0	64.3	112.8	12,030.8
1969	4,474.8	3,384.1	1,768.0	1,144.4	946.4	388.5	68.0	(b)122.0	12,296.3
1970	4,567.0	3,443.8	1,799.2	1,164.7	980.0	392.5	71.4	133.1	12,551.7

At 31 DECEMBER									
1966	4,273.3	3,249.9	1,687.9	1,104.6	862.7	373.9	58.1	100.0	11,710.4
1967	4,346.8	3,303.3	1,718.3	1,118.5	892.8	379.6	61.5	108.2	11,928.9
1968	4,428.8	3,355.8	1,751.8	1,136.4	930.8	386.0	66.6	117.2	12,173.3
1969	4,529.9	3,420.1	1,785.4	1,155.3	966.7	391.2	69.7	127.7	12,446.0
1970	4,623.9	3,480.8	1,820.0	1,177.8	1,001.3	395.6	74.1	139.8	12,713.4

(a) Population at Census date. The difference between the statistics here published and those shown in Census publications, which exclude full-blood Aborigines, cannot be taken as reliable statistics of the Aboriginal population.  
 (b) Based on the results of a population count of Canberra.

ESTIMATED MEAN POPULATION  
(<sup>'000</sup>)

Year	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
Year ended 30 JUNE									
1966	4,209.7	3,194.0	1,660.1	1,081.9	837.3	369.6	55.4	92.6	11,500.6
1967	4,272.7	3,249.9	1,688.1	1,104.0	862.1	373.9	58.1	99.9	11,708.7
1968	4,346.7	3,302.0	1,717.8	1,118.2	892.5	379.4	61.7	108.2	11,926.6
1969	4,430.2	3,355.8	1,751.5	1,135.6	928.9	385.7	66.6	117.4	12,171.7
1970	4,529.2	3,419.6	1,785.7	1,155.1	965.2	390.8	69.9	127.6	12,443.0

Year ended 31 DECEMBER									
1966	4,240.3	3,221.4	1,674.4	1,094.6	848.8	371.6	56.7	96.5	11,604.3
1967	4,308.9	3,277.1	1,702.7	1,111.7	877.0	376.6	59.7	103.7	11,817.4
1968	4,386.4	3,327.7	1,733.9	1,126.2	910.1	382.3	64.3	112.8	12,043.6
1969	4,479.4	3,387.4	1,769.1	1,145.1	947.2	388.6	68.2	122.2	12,307.4
1970	4,575.1	3,449.4	1,801.9	1,165.4	982.9	392.9	71.9	133.4	12,572.9

## POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS

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## INCREASE OF POPULATION

State or Territory	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	Year ended 31 March	
						1970	1971
NATURAL INCREASE (EXCESS OF BIRTHS OVER DEATHS)(a)							
New South Wales ..	37,212	39,228	39,893	45,371	44,847	45,647	48,911
Victoria ..	35,335	37,112	40,261	42,059	42,684	41,269	44,673
Queensland ..	17,982	19,956	19,112	20,790	20,475	21,096	21,381
South Australia ..	10,996	11,315	11,291	12,640	12,479	12,730	12,983
Western Australia ..	10,235	11,244	12,073	13,404	14,075	13,352	14,869
Tasmania ..	4,242	4,319	5,033	5,136	5,011	4,852	5,286
Northern Territory ..	818	1,394	1,541	1,789	2,016	1,867	2,036
Australian Capital Territory	1,877	2,025	2,155	2,491	2,881	2,613	3,129
Australia ..	118,697	126,593	131,359	143,680	144,468	143,426	153,268

TOTAL INCREASE(b)  
(<sup>'000</sup>)

New South Wales ..	62.3	73.5	81.9	101.2	94.0	100.9	95.0
Victoria ..	54.0	53.4	52.5	64.4	60.7	65.5	62.8
Queensland ..	28.5	30.4	33.6	33.6	34.7	33.5	35.4
South Australia ..	21.6	13.9	17.9	18.9	22.5	20.0	21.0
Western Australia ..	24.4	30.1	38.0	36.0	34.6	36.5	35.8
Tasmania ..	4.3	5.7	6.4	5.1	4.4	4.2	4.4
Northern Territory ..	2.6	3.4	5.0	3.1	4.5	3.4	4.9
Australian Capital Territory	7.3	8.1	9.0	10.5	12.0	10.7	12.7
Australia ..	205.0	218.5	244.4	272.7	267.3	274.8	271.9

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines prior to 1967. (b) Increase consists of natural increase, net recorded overseas migration gain, estimated interstate migration and an adjustment to make the series of increases agree with the total intercensal increase revealed by the latest census (30 June 1966).

## POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS: SUMMARY, AUSTRALIA

Period	Marriages registered (a)	Births registered (a)	Deaths registered (a)	Natural increase (a) (b)	Net recorded overseas migration gain (c)	Population	
						Increase (d)	At end of period
Year—						<sup>'000</sup>	<sup>'000</sup>
1966 ..	96,046	227,626	103,929	118,697	86,926	205.0	11,710.4
1967 ..	100,000	229,296	102,703	126,593	91,909	218.5	11,928.9
1968 ..	106,345	240,906	109,547	131,359	113,053	244.4	12,173.3
1969 ..	112,470	250,176	106,496	143,680	129,046	272.7	12,446.0
1970 ..	116,066	257,516	113,048	144,468	122,874	267.3	12,713.4
Quarter ended—							
December 1969 ..	29,763	62,103	26,306	35,797	38,564	74.4	12,446.0
March 1970 ..	30,210	61,043	23,631	37,412	38,833	76.2	12,522.3
June 1970 ..	29,972	65,479	28,379	37,100	—7,665	29.4	12,551.7
September 1970 ..	25,360	65,345	33,754	31,591	47,348	78.9	12,630.6
December 1970 ..	30,524	65,649	27,284	38,365	44,358	82.7	12,713.4
March 1971 ..	31,555	70,976	24,764	46,212	34,583	80.8	12,794.2

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines prior to 1967. (b) Excess of births registered over deaths registered. (c) Excess of recorded overseas arrivals over recorded overseas departures. (d) Increase consists of natural increase, net overseas migration gain, and an adjustment to make the series of increases agree with the total intercensal increase revealed by the latest census (30 June 1966).

NOTE. Minus sign (—) denotes excess of departures over arrivals.

**ESTIMATED AGE DISTRIBUTION OF THE POPULATION(a):  
AUSTRALIA, 30 JUNE 1970  
(<sup>'000</sup>)**

Age last birthday (years)	Males	Females	Persons	Age last birthday (years)	Males	Females	Persons
Under 1 .. ..	127.4	121.5	248.8	40 .. ..	80.6	74.4	155.0
1 .. ..	125.2	120.1	245.4	41 .. ..	81.4	74.8	156.2
2 .. ..	119.6	113.9	233.5	42 .. ..	83.0	76.1	159.1
3 .. ..	119.8	113.4	233.1	43 .. ..	80.7	75.2	155.9
4 .. ..	118.4	112.4	230.8	44 .. ..	82.6	76.7	159.3
0-4 .. ..	610.4	581.2	1,191.6	40-44 .. ..	408.2	377.2	785.5
5 .. ..	120.7	114.5	235.2	45 .. ..	81.0	77.3	158.3
6 .. ..	126.2	119.4	245.6	46 .. ..	78.3	74.8	153.1
7 .. ..	127.6	121.3	248.9	47 .. ..	78.0	76.1	154.1
8 .. ..	129.8	124.1	253.9	48 .. ..	78.2	75.3	153.4
9 .. ..	129.9	123.6	253.6	49 .. ..	77.7	75.4	153.2
5-9 .. ..	634.3	602.9	1,237.2	45-49 .. ..	393.2	379.0	772.2
10 .. ..	125.8	119.2	245.1	50 .. ..	70.4	68.2	138.6
11 .. ..	124.3	119.0	243.3	51 .. ..	62.9	62.9	125.8
12 .. ..	122.5	116.6	239.0	52 .. ..	61.4	62.1	123.5
13 .. ..	119.8	113.8	233.5	53 .. ..	63.1	63.9	127.1
14 .. ..	118.4	111.8	230.2	54 .. ..	63.0	63.1	126.1
10-14 .. ..	610.8	580.4	1,191.1	50-54 .. ..	320.9	320.3	641.1
15 .. ..	114.7	110.1	224.8	55 .. ..	64.8	65.9	130.7
16 .. ..	113.8	108.9	222.7	56 .. ..	63.3	64.7	128.0
17 .. ..	114.8	109.8	224.7	57 .. ..	61.0	61.1	122.1
18 .. ..	112.9	107.3	220.2	58 .. ..	58.8	58.9	117.7
19 .. ..	112.0	107.3	219.2	59 .. ..	55.8	55.9	111.6
15-19 .. ..	568.3	543.4	1,111.7	55-59 .. ..	303.7	306.5	610.2
20 .. ..	112.2	107.2	219.4	60 .. ..	54.0	53.6	107.6
21 .. ..	108.6	104.0	212.6	61 .. ..	50.8	51.2	102.0
22 .. ..	112.3	106.2	218.4	62 .. ..	48.7	50.4	99.1
23 .. ..	122.8	113.8	236.6	63 .. ..	45.8	47.2	93.0
24 .. ..	101.2	93.0	194.2	64 .. ..	43.6	44.6	88.2
20-24 .. ..	556.9	524.2	1,081.2	60-64 .. ..	242.9	247.0	489.9
25 .. ..	100.2	93.1	193.4	65 .. ..	40.9	43.7	84.6
26 .. ..	97.6	91.4	189.1	66 .. ..	37.2	40.1	77.2
27 .. ..	87.8	81.2	169.0	67 .. ..	34.9	39.7	74.6
28 .. ..	90.1	82.8	172.8	68 .. ..	33.0	38.8	71.9
29 .. ..	84.9	78.5	163.4	69 .. ..	30.2	37.6	67.8
25-29 .. ..	460.7	427.1	887.7	65-69 .. ..	176.2	200.0	376.2
30 .. ..	83.1	76.5	159.6	70 .. ..	28.6	37.2	65.9
31 .. ..	82.2	77.4	159.6	71 .. ..	25.9	34.5	60.4
32 .. ..	80.6	75.7	156.3	72 .. ..	25.2	34.4	59.6
33 .. ..	79.6	74.6	154.2	73 .. ..	22.4	32.0	54.4
34 .. ..	76.6	71.5	148.1	74 .. ..	20.3	30.6	50.9
30-34 .. ..	402.1	375.7	777.8	70-74 .. ..	122.3	168.8	291.2
35 .. ..	73.7	69.8	143.6	75 and over .. ..	137.5	243.0	380.5
36 .. ..	73.9	68.3	142.2	All ages .. ..	6,224.6	6,227.1	12,551.7
37 .. ..	73.9	68.8	142.7				
38 .. ..	74.5	68.8	143.3				
39 .. ..	80.1	74.7	154.8				
35-39 .. ..	376.2	350.4	726.6				

(a) Based on the age distribution of all persons enumerated at the Census of 30 June 1966 adjusted for misstatement of age and on subsequent births, recorded ages at death and recorded ages of migrants.

## MARRIAGES, BIRTHS AND DEATHS

State or Territory	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	Three months ended 31 March	
						1970	1971

## MARRIAGES—NUMBER REGISTERED(a)

New South Wales ..	35,575	37,077	39,213	41,286	42,928	11,159	11,473
Victoria ..	27,089	28,004	29,724	30,860	31,729	8,176	8,960
Queensland ..	13,325	13,634	14,860	15,669	16,082	3,896	3,968
South Australia ..	9,051	9,434	9,652	10,599	10,864	3,068	2,985
Western Australia ..	7,001	7,430	8,086	8,993	9,227	2,394	2,576
Tasmania ..	2,946	3,213	3,426	3,532	3,535	1,052	1,077
Northern Territory ..	312	325	419	413	501	150	122
Australian Capital Territory ..	747	883	965	1,118	1,200	315	394
Australia ..	96,046	100,000	106,345	112,470	116,066	30,210	31,555

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines prior to 1967.

DIVORCES: Australia—1969, 10,979—1970; New South Wales, 5,628; Victoria, 2,604; Queensland, 1,511; South Australia, 942; Western Australia, 890; Tasmania, 426; Northern Territory, 50; Australian Capital Territory, 196; Australia, 12,247.

## MARRIAGE RATES—NUMBER PER 1,000 OF MEAN POPULATION(a)

New South Wales ..	8.40	8.60	8.94	9.22	9.38	9.82	9.89
Victoria ..	8.41	8.55	8.93	9.11	9.20	9.54	10.26
Queensland ..	8.01	8.01	8.57	8.86	8.93	8.71	8.70
South Australia ..	8.29	8.49	8.57	9.26	9.32	10.60	10.12
Western Australia ..	8.36	8.47	8.89	9.49	9.39	9.86	10.24
Tasmania ..	7.93	8.53	8.96	9.09	9.00	10.70	10.90
Northern Territory ..	8.30	5.40	6.50	6.10	7.00	8.50	6.50
Australian Capital Territory ..	7.70	8.50	8.60	9.10	9.00	9.80	11.10
Australia ..	8.31	8.46	8.83	9.14	9.23	9.68	9.90

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines prior to 1967.

## BIRTHS—NUMBER REGISTERED(c)

New South Wales ..	77,758	78,841	81,696	86,036	88,448	21,151	25,555
Victoria ..	64,008	65,435	70,228	71,035	73,019	16,733	19,308
Queensland ..	32,843	34,692	35,190	36,576	37,530	9,502	10,567
South Australia ..	20,319	20,386	21,207	21,977	22,617	5,368	5,697
Western Australia ..	17,007	18,023	19,541	20,754	21,618	4,949	5,898
Tasmania ..	7,401	7,547	8,117	8,445	8,185	1,866	2,226
Northern Territory ..	972	1,921	2,084	2,274	2,62	634	627
Australian Capital Territory ..	2,318	2,401	2,643	3,079	3,475	840	1,098
Australia ..	222,626	229,296	240,906	250,176	257,516	61,043	70,976

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines prior to 1967.

NOTE. In some instances rates are based on too few events to warrant calculation to the second decimal place.

## POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS

## Marriages, Births and Deaths—continued

State or Territory	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	Three months ended 31 March	
						1970	1971

## BIRTH RATES—NUMBER PER 1,000 OF MEAN POPULATION(a)

New South Wales ..	18.35	18.30	18.62	19.21	19.33	18.62	22.04
Victoria ..	19.87	19.98	21.10	20.97	21.17	19.51	22.12
Queensland ..	19.74	20.38	20.30	20.67	20.83	21.23	23.16
South Australia ..	18.62	18.34	18.83	19.19	19.41	18.54	19.31
Western Australia ..	20.31	20.55	21.47	21.91	21.99	20.39	23.45
Tasmania ..	19.92	20.04	21.76	21.73	20.83	19.10	22.50
Northern Territory ..	25.90	32.20	32.40	33.30	36.50	36.1	33.4
Australian Capital Territory	24.00	23.10	23.40	25.20	26.00	26.0	31.0
Australia ..	19.27	19.40	20.00	20.33	20.48	19.56	22.26

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines prior to 1967.

## DEATHS—NUMBER REGISTERED(a)

New South Wales ..	40,546	39,613	41,803	40,665	43,601	9,073	9,413
Victoria ..	28,673	28,373	29,967	28,976	30,335	6,186	6,772
Queensland ..	14,861	14,736	16,078	15,786	17,055	3,562	3,721
South Australia ..	9,323	9,071	9,916	9,737	10,138	2,193	2,018
Western Australia ..	6,772	6,779	7,468	7,350	7,543	1,654	1,809
Tasmania ..	3,159	3,228	3,284	3,309	3,174	707	792
Northern Territory ..	154	527	543	485	608	136	109
Australian Capital Territory	441	376	488	588	594	120	130
Australia ..	103,929	102,703	109,547	106,496	113,048	23,631	24,764

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines prior to 1967.

## DEATH RATES—NUMBER PER 1,000 OF MEAN POPULATION(a)

New South Wales ..	9.57	9.19	9.53	9.08	9.53	7.99	8.12
Victoria ..	8.90	8.66	9.01	8.55	8.79	7.21	7.76
Queensland ..	8.93	8.65	9.27	8.92	9.47	7.96	8.16
South Australia ..	8.54	8.16	8.81	8.15	8.70	7.57	6.84
Western Australia ..	8.09	7.73	8.21	7.76	7.67	6.81	7.19
Tasmania ..	8.50	8.57	8.59	8.51	8.08	7.20	8.00
Northern Territory ..	4.10	8.80	8.40	7.10	8.50	7.7	5.8
Australian Capital Territory	4.60	3.60	4.30	4.80	4.50	3.7	3.7
Australia ..	8.99	8.69	9.10	8.65	8.99	7.57	7.77

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines prior to 1967.

NOTE. In some instances rates are based on too few events to warrant calculation to the second decimal place.

## Marriages, Births and Deaths—continued

State or Territory	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	Three Months ended 31 March	
						1970	1971

## DEATHS UNDER ONE YEAR OF AGE(a)—NUMBER REGISTERED(b)

New South Wales ..	1,490	1,452	1,525	1,625	1,743	405	451
Victoria ..	1,116	1,101	1,010	1,066	1,060	231	258
Queensland ..	581	678	716	691	672	150	203
South Australia ..	356	346	345	347	367	83	88
Western Australia ..	329	314	397	453	459	94	107
Tasmania ..	108	130	143	139	116	23	26
Northern Territory ..	19	122	101	103	126	31	21
Australian Capital Territory	46	44	45	58	61	10	19
Australia ..	4,045	4,187	4,282	4,482	4,604	1,027	1,173

(a) Included in total number of deaths as shown above.

(b) Excludes full-blood Aborigines prior to 1967.

## INFANT MORTALITY RATES—NUMBER PER 1,000 LIVE BIRTHS(a)

New South Wales ..	19.2	18.4	18.7	18.9	19.7	19.1	17.6
Victoria ..	17.4	16.8	14.4	15.0	14.5	13.8	13.4
Queensland ..	17.7	19.5	20.3	18.9	17.9	15.8	19.2
South Australia ..	17.5	17.0	16.3	15.8	16.2	15.5	15.4
Western Australia ..	19.3	17.4	20.3	21.8	21.2	19.0	18.1
Tasmania ..	14.6	17.2	17.2	16.5	14.3	12.3	11.7
Northern Territory ..	(b)	63.5	48.5	45.3	48.4	48.9	33.4
Australian Capital Territory	19.8	18.3	17.0	18.8	17.6	(b)	(b)
Australia ..	18.17	18.26	17.77	17.92	17.89	16.82	16.53

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines prior to 1967.

(b) Less than 20 events—rate not calculated.

**CAUSES OF DEATH: AUSTRALIA, 1970**  
(Abbreviated List of 50 Causes with Certain Sub-Divisions)

Cause of death(a)	Males			Females		
	Number of deaths	Per cent of total	Crude rates(b)	Number of deaths	Per cent of total	Crude rates(b)
B2 Typhoid fever .. ..	..	..	..	1	(c)	(d)
B3 Bacillary dysentery and amoebiasis ..	5	(c)	1	10	(c)	2
B4 Enteritis and other diarrhoea .. ..	162	0.3	26	160	0.3	26
B5 Respiratory tuberculosis .. ..	97	0.2	15	29	0.1	5
B6 Other tuberculosis .. ..	59	0.1	9	18	(c)	3
B10 Streptococcal sore throat and scarlet fever .. ..	2	(c)	(d)	..	..	..
B11 Meningococcal infection .. ..	7	(c)	1	4	(c)	1
B14 Measles .. ..	4	(c)	1	5	(c)	1
B16 Malaria .. ..	..	..	..	1	(c)	(d)
B17 Syphilis and its sequelae .. ..	19	(c)	3	9	(c)	1
B18 All other infective diseases .. ..	194	0.3	31	156	0.3	25
B19 Malignant neoplasms—						
Digestive organs .. ..	3,122	5.0	493	2,896	5.8	464
Lung .. ..	2,755	4.4	435	489	1.0	78
Skin .. ..	305	0.5	48	210	0.4	34
Breast .. ..	7	(c)	1	1,386	3.0	238
Genital organs .. ..	1,078	1.7	170	1,108	2.2	178
Urinary organs .. ..	581	0.9	92	259	0.5	42
Leukaemia and aleukaemia .. ..	409	0.7	65	313	0.6	50
Other .. ..	1,800	2.9	284	1,301	2.6	209
B20 Benign and unspecified neoplasms ..	79	0.1	12	117	0.2	19
B21 Diabetes mellitus .. ..	783	1.2	124	1,095	2.2	175
B22 Nutritional deficiency .. ..	46	0.1	7	68	0.1	11
B23 Anaemia .. ..	97	0.2	15	140	0.3	22
B24 Meningitis .. ..	45	0.1	7	32	0.1	5
B25 Active rheumatic fever .. ..	8	(c)	1	5	(c)	1
B26 Chronic rheumatic heart disease ..	424	0.7	67	541	1.1	87
B27 Hypertensive disease .. ..	779	1.2	123	964	1.9	154
B28 Ischaemic heart disease .. ..	20,515	32.7	3,239	13,424	26.7	2,151
B29 Other forms of heart disease .. ..	2,190	3.5	346	2,608	5.2	418
B30 Cerebrovascular disease .. ..	6,508	10.4	1,028	9,178	18.3	1,471
B31 Influenza .. ..	451	0.7	71	362	0.7	58
B32 Pneumonia .. ..	1,719	2.7	271	1,424	2.8	228
B33 Bronchitis, emphysema and asthma ..	3,412	5.4	539	793	1.6	127
B34 Peptic ulcer .. ..	413	0.7	65	226	0.5	36
B35 Appendicitis .. ..	30	(c)	5	31	0.1	5
B36 Intestinal obstruction and hernia ..	163	0.3	26	219	0.4	35
B37 Cirrhosis of liver .. ..	479	0.8	76	224	0.4	36
B38 Nephritis and nephrosis .. ..	403	0.6	64	406	0.8	65
B39 Hyperplasia of prostate .. ..	275	0.4	43	..	..	..
B40 Abortion .. ..	..	..	..	14	(c)	2
B41 Other complications of pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium ..	..	..	..	52	0.1	8
B42 Congenital anomalies .. ..	727	1.2	115	566	1.1	91
B43 Birth injury, difficult labour and respiratory conditions .. ..	559	0.9	88	328	0.7	53
B44 Other perinatal causes .. ..	979	1.6	155	673	1.3	108
B45 Symptoms and ill-defined conditions .. ..	392	0.6	62	374	0.7	60
B46 All other diseases .. ..	4,670	7.4	737	5,101	10.2	818
BE47 Motor vehicle accidents .. ..	2,907	4.6	459	1,045	2.1	167
BE48 All other accidents .. ..	1,854	3.0	293	1,124	2.2	180
BE49 Suicide and self-inflicted injury ..	1,076	1.7	170	475	0.9	76
BE50 All other external causes .. ..	239	0.4	38	156	0.3	25
All causes .. ..	62,828	100.0	9,920	50,220	100.0	8,048

(a) In 1970 there were no deaths due to Cholera (B1), Plague (B7), Diphtheria (B8), Whooping cough (B9), Acute poliomyelitis (B12), Smallpox (B13), or Typhus and other rickettsioses (B15). (b) Per million of mean population.  
(c) Less than 0.05. (d) Less than 0.5

## OVERSEAS ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES: AUSTRALIA

## TOTAL MOVEMENT

Period	Total arrivals			Total departures			Excess of arrivals over departures
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	
Year—							
1966 .. ..	313,219	244,372	557,591	268,313	202,352	470,665	86,926
1967 .. ..	361,345	275,825	637,170	311,727	233,534	545,261	91,909
1968 .. ..	465,232	306,560	771,792	403,748	254,991	658,739	113,053
1969 .. ..	545,559	353,299	898,858	475,840	293,972	769,812	129,046
1970 .. ..	613,899	412,776	1,026,675	548,353	355,448	903,801	122,874
Quarter ended—							
December 1969 ..	147,270	99,699	246,969	128,876	79,529	208,405	38,564
March 1970 ..	156,431	104,245	260,676	133,205	88,638	221,843	38,833
June 1970 ..	140,634	86,081	226,715	141,984	92,396	234,380	-7,665
September 1970 ..	152,341	104,959	257,300	129,790	80,162	209,952	47,348
December 1970 ..	164,493	117,491	281,984	143,374	94,252	237,626	44,358
March 1971 ..	164,193	117,027	281,220	144,264	102,373	246,637	34,583

ARRIVALS  
(Persons)

Period	Permanent movement (a)	Long-term movement (b)		Total permanent and long-term movement	Short-term movement (c)		Total movement
	Settlers arriving	Australian residents returning	Overseas visitors arriving		Australian residents returning	Overseas visitors arriving	Total arrivals
Year—							
1966 .. ..	141,033	28,292	19,234	188,559	181,770	187,262	557,591
1967 .. ..	135,019	35,655	21,637	192,311	223,038	221,821	637,170
1968 .. ..	159,270	36,387	23,473	219,130	252,773	299,889	771,792
1969 .. ..	183,416	38,308	26,867	246,591	288,990	361,277	898,858
1970 .. ..	185,325	42,099	31,194	258,618	351,929	416,128	1,026,675
Quarter ended—							
December 1969 ..	47,530	11,494	6,253	65,277	71,996	109,696	246,969
March 1970 ..	46,008	10,062	10,114	66,184	89,910	104,582	260,676
June 1970 ..	47,673	7,933	6,892	62,498	73,364	90,853	226,715
September 1970 ..	42,244	10,029	7,192	59,465	103,034	94,801	257,300
December 1970 ..	49,400	14,075	6,996	70,471	85,621	125,892	281,984
March 1971 ..	42,906	10,999	10,503	64,408	105,513	111,299	281,220

DEPARTURES  
(Persons)

Period	Permanent movement (a)		Long-term movement (b)		Total permanent and long-term movement	Short-term movement (c)		Total movement
	Former settlers departing (d)	Other residents departing	Australian residents departing	Overseas visitors departing		Australian residents departing	Overseas visitors departing	Total departures
Year—								
1966 .. ..	18,343	7,965	54,321	11,999	92,628	183,161	194,876	410,665
1967 .. ..	22,302	8,502	52,148	12,801	95,753	217,746	231,762	545,261
1968 .. ..	23,814	7,861	51,386	12,617	95,678	251,880	311,181	658,739
1969 .. ..	24,739	8,892	59,027	15,602	108,260	288,805	372,747	769,812
1970 .. ..	26,756	10,538	64,215	18,727	120,236	352,526	431,039	903,801
Quarter ended—								
December 1969 ..	6,928	2,414	14,890	4,406	28,638	81,395	98,372	208,405
March 1970 ..	5,815	2,710	16,830	4,409	29,764	73,519	118,560	221,843
June 1970 ..	6,106	2,567	16,527	4,791	29,991	102,129	102,260	234,380
September 1970 ..	6,627	2,413	15,783	4,565	29,388	82,339	98,225	209,952
December 1970 ..	8,208	2,848	15,075	4,962	31,093	94,539	111,994	237,626
March 1971 ..	6,712	3,029	19,028	5,210	33,979	82,470	130,188	246,637

(a) Permanent movement—persons arriving with stated intent to settle permanently in Australia, and Australian residents departing with stated intent to reside permanently abroad. (b) Long-term movement—arrival of visitors and temporary departure of Australian residents with stated intent to stay (in Australia or in a country abroad respectively) for twelve months or more and the departure of visitors and return of Australian residents who have stayed (in Australia or in a country abroad respectively) for twelve months or more. (c) Short-term movement—arrival of Australian troops irrespective of period of stay and U.S. troops visiting Australia on rest and recreation leave. (d) Excludes persons who stated on departure that they had come to Australia to settle and had stayed for a period of less than twelve months.

NOTE. Minus sign (—) denotes excess of departures over arrivals.

**OVERSEAS ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES: PERMANENT MOVEMENT<sup>(a)</sup>, BY  
NATIONALITY AND MODE OF TRANSPORT, AUSTRALIA**  
(Persons)

Nationality and mode of transport	Arrivals				Departures			
	1968	1969	1970	Three months ended March 1971	1968	1969	1970	Three months ended March 1971
<b>NATIONALITY</b>								
British—								
<i>Country of citizenship—</i>								
Australia .. .. .	1,428	2,011	2,085	550	7,713	8,772	10,492	2,962
Canada .. .. .	949	1,206	1,543	415	349	347	410	104
Ceylon, India and Pakistan .. .. .	3,025	4,137	4,026	1,127	47	40	50	15
Ireland <sup>(b)</sup> .. .. .	1,949	2,452	2,428	576	312	370	427	98
Malta .. .. .	1,293	884	1,060	358	342	574	498	98
New Zealand .. .. .	6,641	5,866	4,832	1,362	1,050	1,553	2,200	601
South Africa <sup>(b)</sup> .. .. .	418	565	1,184	414	103	80	102	27
United Kingdom and Colonies .. .. .	74,592	76,820	73,209	14,595	14,590	14,280	14,684	3,648
Other countries .. .. .	1,181	1,441	1,984	703	224	171	193	84
Citizenship not stated .. .. .	3,267	6,054	5,987	994	1,790	1,533	1,532	328
Total British .. .. .	94,743	101,436	98,338	21,094	26,520	27,720	30,588	7,965
American (U.S.) .. .. .	2,919	3,408	4,565	1,423	961	1,205	1,191	222
Austrian .. .. .	626	726	692	186	161	142	174	50
Czechoslovak .. .. .	2,395	2,939	508	80	21	31	68	37
Danish .. .. .	1,135	1,286	858	171	66	157	219	68
Dutch .. .. .	3,152	3,163	2,504	516	843	677	1,058	192
Finnish .. .. .	1,766	2,573	1,162	220	55	107	192	50
French .. .. .	1,232	2,367	2,211	511	91	147	192	66
German .. .. .	3,170	3,690	3,347	754	879	859	856	214
Greek .. .. .	10,655	11,345	10,368	3,458	353	458	471	134
Italian .. .. .	15,298	12,651	9,307	1,744	498	707	723	230
Lebanese .. .. .	1,908	3,709	3,907	1,088	21	18	20	8
Polish .. .. .	297	350	326	59	76	69	82	14
Portuguese .. .. .	1,184	1,395	1,399	400	17	13	23	5
Russian .. .. .	66	61	46	3	38	17	23	3
Spanish .. .. .	1,914	1,914	1,841	497	85	116	113	38
Swiss .. .. .	811	949	1,070	293	194	220	282	104
Turkish .. .. .	641	3,449	4,430	627	4	14	20	1
United Arab Republic								
Citizen .. .. .	1,030	1,425	1,144	297	8	13	11	6
Yugoslav .. .. .	10,378	18,287	29,083	6,542	279	359	357	130
Stateless .. .. .	375	352	305	45	32	27	9	6
Other nationalities .. .. .	3,575	5,941	7,914	2,898	473	555	622	198
Grand total .. .. .	159,270	183,416	185,325	42,906	31,675	33,631	37,294	9,741
<b>MODE OF TRANSPORT</b>								
Sea .. .. .	85,674	81,230	69,468	12,796	21,602	21,034	20,216	4,855
Air .. .. .	73,596	102,186	115,857	30,110	10,073	12,597	17,078	4,886

(a) See footnote (a) on page 9.

(b) Included with British nationality for the purposes of this table.

**OVERSEAS ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES: PERMANENT MOVEMENT(a), BY COUNTRY  
OF LAST RESIDENCE (ARRIVALS) OR COUNTRY OF INTENDED FUTURE  
RESIDENCE (DEPARTURES)(b), AUSTRALIA**

(Persons)

Country of last residence (arrivals) or country of intended future residence (departures)(b)	Arrivals				Departures			
	1968	1969	1970	Three months ended March 1971	1968	1969	1970	Three months ended March 1971
<b>Africa—</b>								
Commonwealth countries	2,891	2,581	2,113	579	142	122	125	28
South Africa .. ..	769	964	1,751	622	567	640	611	168
United Arab Republic—								
Egypt .. ..	1,189	1,614	1,116	1,271	5	4	9	3
Other .. ..	182	235	570	131	45	51	38	5
<b>America—</b>								
Canada .. ..	1,234	1,607	2,080	520	1,639	1,618	1,706	309
Other Commonwealth countries .. ..	229	285	322	80	22	35	46	3
United States of America	3,130	3,620	4,909	1,534	2,193	2,375	2,447	503
Other .. ..	686	1,517	3,940	1,632	119	102	156	26
<b>Asia—</b>								
Ceylon, India and								
Pakistan .. ..	3,182	4,274	4,119	1,155	77	80	68	36
Hong Kong .. ..	899	846	844	176	107	198	192	70
Malaysia and Singapore	1,124	1,534	1,501	568	329	305	416	171
Other Commonwealth countries .. ..	700	697	995	278	29	24	21	8
China .. ..	57	27	40	21	6	2	2	..
Lebanon .. ..	1,937	3,809	3,974	1,075	27	16	23	10
Turkey (in Asia and Europe) .. ..	540	3,391	4,399	612	4	10	18	3
Other .. ..	1,537	2,501	2,135	952	323	454	426	129
<b>Europe—</b>								
United Kingdom and								
Ireland .. ..	74,015	80,402	77,522	15,098	16,678	15,914	16,396	4,002
Malta .. ..	1,294	897	1,056	363	387	668	598	99
Other Commonwealth countries .. ..	246	235	341	60	34	40	30	2
Austria .. ..	5,073	9,106	12,790	3,198	138	141	163	60
Belgium .. ..	427	451	320	61	62	67	58	30
Denmark .. ..	1,065	1,272	836	165	73	156	240	65
Finland .. ..	1,630	2,365	1,030	177	46	90	154	39
France .. ..	1,912	3,220	2,718	642	106	166	189	70
Germany .. ..	5,434	5,010	5,106	909	894	1,018	1,086	263
Greece .. ..	10,390	11,025	10,098	3,379	352	495	515	151
Hungary .. ..	92	97	117	21	25	16	18	3
Italy .. ..	14,402	12,049	8,843	1,656	594	807	883	273
Netherlands .. ..	3,048	3,134	2,489	485	895	772	1,233	256
Poland .. ..	208	213	217	34	71	68	77	14
Spain .. ..	1,197	1,538	1,395	363	124	120	121	38
Switzerland .. ..	1,085	1,197	1,330	346	227	256	326	116
U.S.S.R. .. ..	54	55	41	2	38	18	27	2
Yugoslavia .. ..	6,349	11,144	15,717	3,353	266	279	276	118
Other .. ..	2,293	2,736	2,212	549	208	273	311	110
<b>Oceania—</b>								
New Zealand .. ..	8,320	7,118	5,532	1,600	3,103	4,280	5,964	1,694
Papua and New Guinea	211	312	401	126	1,473	1,655	1,964	716
Other Commonwealth countries .. ..	202	287	315	104	199	226	252	97
Other .. ..	37	51	91	9	48	70	109	51
<b>Total .. ..</b>	<b>159,270</b>	<b>183,416</b>	<b>185,325</b>	<b>42,906</b>	<b>31,675</b>	<b>33,631</b>	<b>37,294</b>	<b>9,741</b>

(a) See footnote (a) on page 9.

(b) For a period of one year or more.

**OVERSEAS ARRIVALS: PERMANENT MOVEMENT, SETTLERS ARRIVING(a)  
BY STATE OR TERRITORY OF INTENDED RESIDENCE(b)  
(Persons)**

State or Territory of intended residence(h)	1968	1969	1970	Three months ended March 1971
New South Wales .. .. .	56,771	70,147	72,563	16,689
Victoria .. .. .	42,680	50,063	49,013	12,384
Queensland .. .. .	10,222	12,188	11,467	2,467
South Australia .. .. .	14,358	16,589	17,256	3,516
Western Australia .. .. .	23,538	22,897	23,082	5,261
Tasmania .. .. .	2,315	2,036	1,979	445
Northern Territory .. .. .	392	384	521	132
Australian Capital Territory .. .. .	1,224	1,388	1,542	389
Not stated(c) .. .. .	7,770	7,724	7,902	1,623
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>159,270</b>	<b>183,416</b>	<b>185,325</b>	<b>42,906</b>

(a) See footnote (a) on page 9. (b) Persons are asked on or before arrival, the State or Territory of Australia in which they next intend to stay for twelve months or more. Their replies express intentions at the time which may not be realised. This must be borne in mind in interpreting the statistics. The allocation to States and Territories in the table is based on these statements except that settlers proceeding to the migrant reception centre, Benicelli, Victoria, are allocated, as far as is practicable, to the State or Territory of their placement from the centre. (c) Includes also persons passing through the migrant reception centre who were not placed in time for allocation to States.

**OVERSEAS ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES: SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT, VISITORS  
ARRIVING(a) AND RESIDENTS DEPARTING(b), BY STATED PURPOSE OF  
JOURNEY AND MODE OF TRANSPORT, AUSTRALIA  
(Persons)**

Stated purpose of journey and mode of transport	Overseas visitors arriving(a)				Australian residents departing(b)			
	1968	1969	1970	Three months ended March 1971	1968	1969	1970	Three months ended March 1971
<b>Business—</b>								
Sea .. .. .	715	659	579	196	1,901	1,958	1,713	413
Air .. .. .	44,855	53,067	62,679	17,204	45,965	52,696	65,795	16,799
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>45,570</b>	<b>53,726</b>	<b>63,258</b>	<b>17,400</b>	<b>47,866</b>	<b>54,654</b>	<b>67,508</b>	<b>17,212</b>
<b>Holiday—</b>								
Sea .. .. .	11,888	12,358	12,583	3,788	42,072	44,028	45,294	12,575
Air .. .. .	178,938	225,470	248,647	63,170	129,452	152,303	197,255	42,709
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>190,826</b>	<b>237,828</b>	<b>261,230</b>	<b>66,958</b>	<b>171,524</b>	<b>196,331</b>	<b>242,549</b>	<b>55,284</b>
<b>Education—</b>								
Sea .. .. .	201	176	158	83	390	398	421	94
Air .. .. .	8,602	9,848	11,339	5,676	3,982	4,021	5,618	1,011
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>8,803</b>	<b>10,024</b>	<b>11,497</b>	<b>5,759</b>	<b>4,372</b>	<b>4,419</b>	<b>6,039</b>	<b>1,105</b>
<b>Other and not stated—</b>								
Sea .. .. .	3,381	1,319	1,233	287	3,565	2,870	2,596	996
Air .. .. .	13,637	15,895	20,580	5,272	24,553	30,531	33,834	7,873
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>17,018</b>	<b>17,214</b>	<b>21,813</b>	<b>5,559</b>	<b>28,118</b>	<b>33,401</b>	<b>36,430</b>	<b>8,869</b>
<b>Total—</b>								
Sea .. .. .	16,185	14,512	14,553	4,354	47,928	49,254	50,024	14,078
Air .. .. .	246,032	304,280	343,245	91,322	203,952	239,551	302,502	68,392
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>262,217</b>	<b>318,792</b>	<b>357,798</b>	<b>95,676</b>	<b>251,880</b>	<b>288,805</b>	<b>352,526</b>	<b>82,470</b>
<b>In transit(c)—</b>								
Sea .. .. .	2,390	2,806	3,300	682				
Air .. .. .	35,282	39,679	55,030	14,941				
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>37,672</b>	<b>42,485</b>	<b>58,330</b>	<b>15,623</b>				
<b>Total, including in transit—</b>								
Sea .. .. .	18,575	17,318	17,853	5,036	47,928	49,254	50,024	14,078
Air .. .. .	281,314	343,959	398,275	106,263	203,952	239,551	302,502	68,392
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>299,889</b>	<b>361,277</b>	<b>416,128</b>	<b>111,299</b>	<b>251,880</b>	<b>288,805</b>	<b>352,526</b>	<b>82,470</b>

(a) Persons arriving who state that they intend to reside in Australia for a period of less than one year. (b) Persons departing who state that they intend to reside in a country abroad for a period of less than one year, together with Australian troops irrespective of length of intended stay. (c) Excludes 'through' passengers who do not change ship or flight.

**OVERSEAS ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES: SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT, VISITORS  
ARRIVING(a) AND RESIDENTS DEPARTING(b), BY COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE(c)  
(ARRIVALS) OR COUNTRY OF DISEMBARKATION(d) (DEPARTURES), AUSTRALIA  
(Persons)**

Country of residence(c) (arrivals) and country of disembarkation(d) (departures)	Overseas visitors arriving(a) (excluding in transit travellers)				Australian residents departing(b)			
	1968	1969	1970	Three months ended March 1971	1968	1969	1970	Three months ended March 1971
<b>Africa—</b>								
Commonwealth countries	1,198	1,126	1,392	715	592	625	931	250
South Africa .. ..	1,959	2,307	3,621	1,266	2,263	3,505	3,647	788
Other .. ..	360	408	590	250	258	902	764	83
<b>America—</b>								
Canada .. ..	5,629	6,902	9,441	3,653	1,699	2,148	2,134	511
Other Commonwealth countries .. ..	369	331	520	163	164	137	205	15
United States of America—								
Excl. Hawaii	36,417	46,314	59,437	24,513	9,744	11,168	14,470	2,522
Hawaii .. ..					9,614	11,790	15,356	2,117
Other .. ..	926	1,184	1,810	530	1,385	1,178	1,285	244
<b>Asia—</b>								
Ceylon, India, Pakistan	1,793	1,842	2,194	891	2,994	3,902	3,130	391
Hong Kong .. ..	2,817	3,548	4,403	1,922	12,203	15,219	20,096	3,341
Malaysia and Singapore	8,653	7,338	8,041	3,942	23,543	29,141	40,529	7,798
Other Commonwealth countries .. ..	119	142	195	189	57	35	328	59
Japan .. ..	5,565	7,436	9,316	3,445	7,864	8,284	10,902	2,164
Philippines .. ..	1,425	1,856	1,894	540	3,494	3,879	4,161	796
Thailand .. ..	1,163	1,243	1,656	654	3,464	3,849	3,905	615
Other .. ..	67,111	90,548	84,316	16,013	15,609	17,680	21,489	5,869
<b>Europe—</b>								
United Kingdom and Ireland .. ..	23,990	29,024	32,789	11,779	19,665	21,562	25,634	5,477
Other Commonwealth countries .. ..	267	380	493	105	486	1,265	1,631	47
France .. ..	1,571	1,649	2,078	927	794	729	667	92
Germany .. ..	2,814	3,490	4,880	1,724	2,048	2,436	3,566	433
Greece .. ..	391	610	720	288	4,548	4,445	6,154	1,226
Italy .. ..	1,622	2,015	2,884	875	14,615	15,256	18,582	3,160
Netherlands .. ..	2,519	2,932	3,482	1,400	2,481	2,494	3,338	390
Other .. ..	3,744	4,748	6,491	2,124	1,263	1,354	3,029	659
<b>Oceania—</b>								
Fiji .. ..	2,583	2,878	3,598	1,360	13,925	18,664	23,333	6,078
New Zealand .. ..	60,568	67,988	75,325	18,734	65,587	70,943	80,992	27,670
Papua and New Guinea	20,339	23,138	26,808	8,803	17,936	21,619	26,269	5,665
Other Commonwealth countries .. ..	1,724	1,767	2,181	862	5,625	6,882	7,461	2,279
Other .. ..	4,581	5,648	7,243	3,632	7,960	7,714	8,538	1,731
<b>Total</b> .. ..	<b>262,217</b>	<b>318,792</b>	<b>357,798</b>	<b>111,299</b>	<b>251,880</b>	<b>288,805</b>	<b>352,526</b>	<b>82,470</b>

(a) See Footnote (a), second table, page 12. (b) See footnote (b), second table, page 12. (c) For a period of one year or more. (d) Country of intended disembarkation from the particular ship or aircraft which takes the passenger from Australia.

**OVERSEAS ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES: SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT,  
VISITORS ARRIVING(a) AND RESIDENTS DEPARTING(b),  
BY INTENDED LENGTH OF STAY, AUSTRALIA  
(Persons)**

Intended length of stay(c)	Overseas visitors arriving(a) (excluding in transit travellers)				Australian residents departing(b)			
	1968	1969	1970	Three months ended March 1971	1968	1969	1970	Three months ended March 1971
Under 1 week .. ..	87,722	117,611	120,999	38,786	10,571	12,630	16,911	4,695
1 week and under 2 weeks	35,915	43,417	53,905	17,581	26,225	31,229	37,172	10,075
2 weeks and under 3 weeks	34,065	37,969	43,815	12,006	37,214	43,984	52,940	16,586
3 weeks and under 1 month	22,279	23,060	26,948	6,928	29,695	32,960	40,005	10,016
1 month and under 2 months .. ..	28,333	33,417	39,398	11,179	38,378	44,018	56,266	10,281
2 months and under 3 months .. ..	14,805	18,021	19,619	5,040	24,723	26,793	33,193	4,392
3 months and under 4 months .. ..	14,292	16,606	20,605	4,679	18,675	21,297	27,828	3,170
4 months and under 6 months .. ..	5,497	5,612	6,503	1,476	11,868	12,176	13,988	3,531
6 months and under 7 months .. ..	7,433	8,651	9,371	2,401	17,210	19,659	22,630	5,903
7 months and under 12 months .. ..	5,461	6,091	6,561	4,095	8,108	8,327	9,546	3,407
Indefinite, not stated, etc.	6,415	8,337	10,074	7,128	29,213	35,732	42,047	10,414
<b>Total .. ..</b>	<b>262,217</b>	<b>318,792</b>	<b>357,798</b>	<b>111,299</b>	<b>251,880</b>	<b>288,805</b>	<b>352,526</b>	<b>82,470</b>

(a) See footnote (a), second table, page 12.  
in the case of visitors arriving; abroad in the case of residents departing

(b) See footnote (b), second table, page 12.

(c) In Australia

## SECTION II. EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT

### CIVILIAN POPULATION, BY EMPLOYMENT STATUS, AUSTRALIA

Estimates of the civilian labour force are based on results of the quarterly population survey, carried out by personal interview at a one per cent sample of dwellings throughout Australia. The estimates in the following tables relate to all persons aged 15 years and over, except members of the permanent armed forces, national servicemen enlisted in the Regular Army Supplement and certain diplomatic personnel customarily excluded from census and estimated populations.

Customarily excluded from census and estimated population							
Month	Employed (a)	Unemployed(a)		Total labour force(a)		Not in labour force (a) ('000)	Civilian population aged 15 and over ('000)
		Number ('000)	Per cent of labour force	Number ('000)	Per cent of pop- ulation(b)		
MALES							
1969—August ..	3,549.7	31.8	0.9	3,581.5	83.0	733.9	4,315.4
November ..	3,568.0	43.3	1.2	3,611.3	83.1	735.6	4,346.9
1970—February ..	3,628.4	39.1	1.1	3,667.5	83.8	707.3	4,374.8
May ..	3,630.8	33.9	0.9	3,664.7	83.4	731.5	4,396.2
August ..	3,630.8	33.5	0.9	3,664.3	83.0	749.2	4,413.5
November ..	3,638.9	39.3	1.1	3,678.2	82.7	768.2	4,446.4
1971—February ..	3,679.8	41.7	1.1	3,721.5	83.1	755.0	4,476.5
May ..	3,693.9	44.0	1.2	3,737.9	83.2	757.3	4,495.2
MARRIED WOMEN							
1969—August ..	901.4	19.2	2.1	920.7	31.9	1,964.5	2,885.2
November ..	951.7	19.8	2.0	971.5	33.5	1,930.9	2,902.5
1970—February ..	934.8	26.2	2.7	960.9	32.9	1,961.1	2,922.0
May ..	962.5	22.0	2.2	984.5	33.5	1,958.4	2,943.0
August ..	986.6	17.0	1.7	1,003.5	34.0	1,949.0	2,952.6
November ..	1,041.5	17.9	1.7	1,059.4	35.4	1,929.3	2,988.7
1971—February ..	1,015.2	30.2	2.9	1,045.4	34.7	1,966.7	3,012.1
May ..	1,040.4	24.1	2.3	1,064.5	35.2	1,962.3	3,026.8
OTHER FEMALES(c)							
1969—August ..	694.3	15.0	2.1	709.4	47.6	780.7	1,490.0
November ..	701.0	23.4	3.2	724.4	48.0	786.0	1,510.4
1970—February ..	724.3	21.2	2.8	745.5	49.1	773.6	1,519.1
May ..	720.9	15.6	2.1	736.5	48.6	778.3	1,514.8
August ..	709.1	14.6	2.0	723.7	47.6	796.3	1,519.9
November ..	708.2	18.7	2.6	726.8	47.7	796.2	1,523.0
1971—February ..	725.0	21.1	2.8	746.1	48.8	781.9	1,528.1
May ..	718.0	14.6	2.0	732.6	47.9	797.8	1,530.4
ALL FEMALES							
1969—August ..	1,595.7	34.3	2.1	1,630.0	37.3	2,745.2	4,375.2
November ..	1,652.7	43.3	2.6	1,696.0	38.4	2,716.9	4,412.9
1970—February ..	1,659.0	47.4	2.8	1,706.4	38.4	2,734.7	4,441.1
May ..	1,683.4	37.7	2.2	1,721.1	38.6	2,736.7	4,457.8
August ..	1,695.7	31.5	1.8	1,727.2	38.6	2,745.3	4,472.5
November ..	1,749.6	36.6	2.0	1,786.2	39.6	2,725.5	4,511.7
1971—February ..	1,740.2	51.3	2.9	1,791.5	39.5	2,748.7	4,540.2
May ..	1,758.4	38.7	2.2	1,797.1	39.4	2,760.1	4,557.2
PERSONS							
1969—August ..	5,145.4	66.1	1.3	5,211.5	60.0	3,479.1	8,690.6
November ..	5,220.7	86.6	1.6	5,307.3	60.6	3,452.5	8,759.8
1970—February ..	5,287.5	86.4	1.6	5,373.9	61.0	3,442.0	8,815.9
May ..	5,314.2	71.5	1.3	5,385.8	60.8	3,468.2	8,854.0
August ..	5,326.5	65.0	1.2	5,391.5	60.7	3,494.5	8,886.0
November ..	5,388.5	75.9	1.4	5,464.4	61.0	3,493.7	8,958.1
1971—February ..	5,420.0	93.0	1.7	5,513.0	61.1	3,503.7	9,016.7
May ..	5,452.3	82.7	1.5	5,535.0	61.1	3,517.4	9,052.4

(a) For definitions, see explanatory notes given in the most recent issue of *The Labour Force* (Ref. No. 6,203). Separate figures for agriculture and other industries are not shown in this issue, pending a detailed examination of recent quarterly changes. (b) The labour force in each group as a percentage of the civilian population aged 15 years and over in the same group (labour force participation rate). (c) Never married, widowed and divorced.

**EMPLOYED PERSONS(a), BY FULL-TIME OR PART-TIME STATUS  
AND AVERAGE HOURS WORKED(b)**

Month				Full-time workers(c) ('000)	Part-time workers(d) ('000)	Total ('000)	Average hours worked(b)
<b>MALES</b>							
1969—August	..	..	..	3,410.7	139.0	3,549.7	41.3
November	..	..	..	3,443.9	124.1	3,568.0	42.7
1970—February	..	..	..	3,508.1	120.4	3,628.4	42.1
May	..	..	..	3,506.6	124.2	3,630.8	41.2
August	..	..	..	3,514.5	116.3	3,630.8	41.4
November	..	..	..	3,510.1	128.8	3,638.9	42.7
1971—February	..	..	..	3,565.8	114.0	3,679.8	41.9
May	..	..	..	3,567.8	126.1	3,693.9	41.1
<b>MARRIED WOMEN</b>							
1969—August	..	..	..	569.7	331.7	901.4	30.7
November	..	..	..	600.5	351.2	951.7	31.3
1970—February	..	..	..	600.7	334.0	934.8	31.4
May	..	..	..	616.6	345.9	962.5	30.6
August	..	..	..	632.0	354.6	986.6	30.8
November	..	..	..	661.2	380.3	1,041.5	31.7
1971—February	..	..	..	654.6	360.6	1,015.2	31.7
May	..	..	..	672.8	367.6	1,040.4	30.2
<b>OTHER FEMALES(e)</b>							
1969—August	..	..	..	594.2	100.1	694.3	34.6
November	..	..	..	614.0	87.0	701.0	35.8
1970—February	..	..	..	638.4	85.8	724.3	35.8
May	..	..	..	636.2	84.7	720.9	34.5
August	..	..	..	620.4	88.8	709.1	34.9
November	..	..	..	614.7	93.4	708.2	35.7
1971—February	..	..	..	633.9	91.2	725.0	35.5
May	..	..	..	630.4	87.6	718.0	33.9
<b>ALL FEMALES</b>							
1969—August	..	..	..	1,163.9	431.8	1,595.7	32.4
November	..	..	..	1,214.5	438.2	1,652.7	33.2
1970—February	..	..	..	1,239.2	419.9	1,659.0	33.3
May	..	..	..	1,252.9	430.5	1,683.4	32.2
August	..	..	..	1,252.4	443.3	1,695.7	32.5
November	..	..	..	1,276.0	473.6	1,749.6	33.5
1971—February	..	..	..	1,288.4	451.8	1,740.2	33.2
May	..	..	..	1,303.2	455.2	1,758.4	31.7
<b>PERSONS</b>							
1969—August	..	..	..	4,574.7	570.8	5,145.4	38.5
November	..	..	..	4,658.4	562.3	5,220.7	39.6
1970—February	..	..	..	4,747.2	540.2	5,287.5	39.3
May	..	..	..	4,759.5	554.8	5,314.2	38.3
August	..	..	..	4,766.9	559.6	5,326.5	38.6
November	..	..	..	4,786.1	602.4	5,388.5	39.6
1971—February	..	..	..	4,854.2	565.8	5,420.0	39.1
May	..	..	..	4,871.0	581.3	5,452.3	38.1

(a) Civilians aged 15 years and over. For definitions, see explanatory notes given in the most recent issue of *The Labour Force* (Ref. No. 6.20). (b) Average hours worked is calculated on actual hours worked during survey week, not hours paid for. The figures may be affected by public holidays, leave, absenteeism; temporary absence from work due to sickness, accidents and industrial disputes; and work stoppages due to bad weather, plant breakdown, etc. Persons with jobs who did not work during survey week have been included in the calculation of average hours worked. (c) Persons who usually work 35 hours a week or more and others who, although usually part-time workers, worked 35 hours or more during survey week. (d) Persons who usually work less than 35 hours a week and who did so during survey week. (e) Never married, widowed and divorced.

# WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT: AUSTRALIA(a) (000)

Month	Civilian employees in main industry groups(b)								Total civilian employees(b)	
	Manu- facturing	Building and construc- tion	Trans- port and storage	Finance and property	Com- merce	Public authority activities (n.e.i.)	Com- munity and business services (c)	Amuse- ment, hotels, personal service, etc.	Private em- ployers	Govern- ment authori- ties
MALES										
June—										
1968	980.1	336.1	208.2	106.5	398.1	121.4	220.4	95.0	1,945.1	780.2
1969	1,002.5	344.3	211.9	112.5	407.5	126.8	232.1	101.7	2,014.9	790.0
1970	1,021.1	352.2	218.2	118.6	417.9	132.1	246.0	108.4	2,085.7	803.7
1971	1,034.6	361.4	222.8	123.4	424.3	137.7	260.0	115.7	2,145.0	817.3
1970—										
Oct.	1,021.9	357.0	220.6	118.5	420.3	133.6	248.2	112.0	2,103.8	804.3
Nov.	d1,028.1	358.8	222.0	118.6	425.8	134.2	249.8	113.4	d2,120.5	d807.3
Dec.	1,028.3	357.6	222.7	119.3	432.4	135.2	251.0	115.3	2,130.7	819.2
1971—										
Jan.	1,030.7	359.3	222.3	120.1	424.9	135.9	251.8	115.2	2,128.9	812.3
Feb.	1,034.7	360.4	223.2	122.2	424.0	136.5	257.7	115.5	2,138.8	817.4
Mar.	1,037.1	362.2	223.6	123.4	424.2	136.9	258.7	115.4	2,145.2	817.4
April	d1,035.9	d161.6	223.2	123.5	424.7	136.8	258.7	115.9	d2,144.8	816.5
May	1,036.7	360.7	223.0	123.6	425.1	137.0	259.6	115.9	2,146.3	816.9
June	1,034.6	361.4	222.8	123.4	424.3	137.7	260.0	115.7	2,145.0	817.3
FEMALES										
June—										
1968	329.9	13.4	24.0	78.6	291.1	52.0	346.1	133.7	1,064.6	239.9
1969	342.1	14.6	25.2	83.1	299.5	55.4	369.7	140.3	1,110.7	256.1
1970	355.9	16.0	27.1	90.2	312.9	60.2	397.7	153.1	1,177.0	275.4
1971	357.4	17.6	28.4	94.1	322.2	63.2	427.5	165.2	1,226.1	291.0
1970—										
Oct.	357.4	16.6	27.7	90.7	318.8	61.2	404.7	159.2	1,197.6	278.6
Nov.	d360.1	16.8	28.1	91.5	326.2	62.6	406.7	161.7	d1,212.8	d281.8
Dec.	356.7	16.9	28.2	92.3	333.9	62.9	404.7	162.6	1,218.6	282.6
1971—										
Jan.	355.8	16.9	28.2	93.6	323.2	62.6	404.3	161.3	1,208.6	278.8
Feb.	361.3	17.0	28.4	95.0	321.4	62.9	419.3	162.1	1,220.1	288.7
Mar.	363.5	17.1	28.5	95.7	322.0	63.0	422.7	164.2	1,227.4	290.4
April	359.3	17.2	28.4	95.1	322.1	62.8	424.2	165.2	1,225.8	289.9
May	358.3	17.4	28.4	94.8	322.7	62.7	426.0	165.9	1,227.4	290.0
June	357.4	17.6	28.4	94.1	322.2	63.2	427.5	165.2	1,226.1	291.0
PERSONS										
June—										
1968	1,310.0	349.5	232.2	185.1	689.2	173.4	566.5	228.6	3,009.8	1,020.0
1969	1,344.6	358.9	237.1	195.6	707.0	182.1	601.9	241.9	3,125.6	1,046.1
1970	1,377.0	368.2	245.3	208.8	730.8	192.3	643.7	261.5	3,262.7	1,079.1
1971	1,392.0	379.0	251.2	217.6	746.5	200.9	687.6	280.9	3,371.1	1,108.3
1970—										
Oct.	1,379.2	373.6	248.3	209.1	739.0	194.8	652.9	271.1	3,301.3	1,083.0
Nov.	d1,388.1	375.6	250.1	210.1	752.0	196.8	656.4	275.1	d3,333.3	d1,089.1
Dec.	1,385.1	374.5	251.0	211.6	766.3	198.2	655.8	277.8	3,349.4	1,101.7
1971—										
Jan.	1,386.4	376.2	250.6	213.6	748.2	198.5	656.1	276.5	3,337.5	1,091.1
Feb.	1,396.0	377.5	251.6	217.2	745.5	199.4	677.0	277.5	3,358.9	1,106.1
Mar.	1,400.6	379.3	252.0	219.1	746.2	199.8	681.4	279.6	3,372.5	1,107.8
April	d1,395.2	378.9	251.6	218.6	746.8	199.6	682.9	281.0	d3,370.6	1,106.4
May	1,395.0	378.1	251.4	218.3	747.8	199.7	685.5	281.8	3,373.7	1,106.9
June	1,392.0	379.0	251.2	217.6	746.5	200.9	687.6	280.9	3,371.1	1,108.3

(a) The figures in this table, except those relating to Government employees, are based on comprehensive data from the Population Census of June 1966. For the period subsequent to the census the employment data are obtained from three main sources, namely (i) current pay-roll tax returns, (ii) current returns from Government bodies, and (iii) some other current returns of employment (e.g. for hospitals); the balance, i.e. unrecorded private employment, is estimated. Month-to-month changes shown by current returns are linked with the benchmark data to derive the monthly estimates. At June 1966 recorded employment obtained from the foregoing sources accounted for about 85 per cent of the total number of employees in the industries covered, as determined by the census. (b) Employees in agriculture and private domestic service, and defence forces are excluded. (c) Comprises law and order, religion and social welfare, health services, education and other community and business services. (d) Affected by industrial disputes.

**WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT: STATES(a)**  
 ('000)

Month	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T. (b)	Aust.
<b>MALES</b>									
June—									
1968 ..	1,025.4	763.5	354.6	254.0	197.0	84.7	15.6	30.5	2,725.3
1969 ..	1,052.2	782.2	366.6	261.6	206.4	86.5	17.2	32.2	2,804.9
1970 ..	1,083.3	802.2	378.0	266.6	216.2	88.5	19.3	35.3	2,889.4
1971 ..	1,108.2	814.5	390.3	271.7	229.0	89.1	21.2	38.3	2,962.3
1970—									
July ..	1,083.2	800.6	379.5	266.7	216.7	88.2	19.6	35.4	2,889.9
August ..	c1,083.9	801.9	379.9	267.0	217.9	88.2	19.6	35.8	c2,894.0
September ..	c1,087.3	802.9	380.4	267.2	218.8	88.0	19.9	36.2	c2,900.7
October ..	1,091.6	804.9	379.6	267.9	220.0	87.9	19.8	36.4	2,908.1
November ..	1,103.2	810.0	380.1	268.7	c220.7	88.0	20.1	37.1	c2,927.8
December ..	1,112.4	816.7	378.2	271.4	224.6	88.9	20.1	37.5	2,949.9
1971—									
January ..	1,104.9	814.8	379.2	270.6	225.1	89.2	19.9	37.5	2,941.2
February ..	1,109.5	818.2	381.7	272.0	227.2	89.5	20.3	37.9	2,956.2
March ..	1,111.4	818.7	384.2	271.9	228.4	89.7	20.2	38.1	2,962.6
April ..	1,109.4	816.7	386.6	c271.0	228.9	90.1	20.5	38.2	c2,961.3
May ..	1,108.6	816.5	388.9	271.4	228.7	89.7	20.9	38.4	2,963.2
June ..	1,108.2	814.5	390.3	271.7	229.0	89.1	21.2	38.3	2,962.3
<b>FEMALES</b>									
June—									
1968 ..	497.2	388.2	154.0	116.2	89.3	37.1	6.4	16.1	1,304.5
1969 ..	518.4	405.8	160.7	121.4	97.3	38.1	7.2	18.1	1,366.8
1970 ..	550.1	425.7	171.3	129.9	107.5	39.3	8.1	20.6	1,452.4
1971 ..	571.6	440.6	182.3	136.3	114.8	40.5	8.7	22.4	1,517.1
1970—									
July ..	551.3	425.2	172.6	129.2	107.9	39.2	8.2	20.6	1,454.3
August ..	551.2	425.4	172.6	130.1	108.6	39.1	8.2	20.9	1,456.1
September ..	555.6	427.8	173.8	130.6	109.8	39.0	8.2	21.2	1,465.9
October ..	560.1	430.6	175.1	131.4	110.4	39.2	8.1	21.2	1,476.2
November ..	569.5	435.7	176.0	132.9	c111.2	39.5	8.3	21.6	c1,494.6
December ..	570.0	438.3	178.4	133.7	110.1	40.8	8.2	21.7	1,501.2
1971—									
January ..	564.2	433.7	176.8	133.6	109.5	39.9	8.1	21.6	1,487.4
February ..	568.6	440.9	179.4	135.7	113.4	40.5	8.2	22.0	1,508.8
March ..	571.6	444.5	179.5	136.3	114.5	40.8	8.3	22.3	1,517.8
April ..	570.8	442.6	180.5	135.2	115.1	40.6	8.4	22.4	1,515.7
May ..	571.5	442.0	181.8	135.2	115.0	40.7	8.6	22.6	1,517.4
June ..	571.6	440.6	182.3	136.3	114.8	40.5	8.7	22.4	1,517.1
<b>PERSONS</b>									
June—									
1968 ..	1,522.6	1,151.7	508.6	370.2	286.3	121.8	22.0	46.6	4,029.8
1969 ..	1,570.6	1,188.0	527.3	383.0	303.7	124.6	24.4	50.3	4,171.7
1970 ..	1,633.4	1,227.9	549.3	396.5	323.7	127.8	27.4	55.9	4,341.8
1971 ..	1,679.8	1,255.1	572.6	408.0	343.8	129.6	29.9	60.7	4,479.4
1970—									
July ..	1,634.5	1,225.8	552.1	395.9	324.6	127.4	27.8	56.0	4,344.2
August ..	c1,635.1	1,227.3	552.5	397.1	326.5	127.3	27.8	56.7	c4,350.1
September ..	c1,642.9	1,230.7	554.2	397.8	328.6	127.0	28.1	57.4	c4,366.6
October ..	1,651.7	1,235.5	554.7	399.3	330.4	127.1	27.9	57.6	4,384.3
November ..	1,672.7	1,245.7	556.1	401.6	c331.9	127.5	28.4	58.7	c4,422.4
December ..	1,682.4	1,255.0	556.6	405.1	334.7	129.7	28.3	59.2	4,451.1
1971—									
January ..	1,669.1	1,248.5	556.0	404.2	334.6	129.1	28.0	59.1	4,428.6
February ..	1,678.1	1,259.1	561.1	407.7	340.6	130.0	28.5	59.9	4,465.0
March ..	1,683.0	1,263.2	563.7	408.2	342.9	130.5	28.5	60.4	4,480.3
April ..	1,680.2	1,259.3	567.1	c406.2	344.0	130.7	28.9	60.6	c4,477.0
May ..	1,680.1	1,258.5	570.7	406.6	343.7	130.4	29.5	61.0	4,480.6
June ..	1,679.8	1,255.1	572.6	408.0	343.8	129.6	29.9	60.7	4,479.4

(a) See footnotes (a) and (b) on page 11. (b) Includes persons employed in the Australian Capital Territory who reside in adjoining areas. (c) Affected by industrial disputes.

## REGISTERED UNEMPLOYED AND JOB VACANCIES

(Source: Department of Labour and National Service)

(Persons)

Month(a)	N.S.W. (b)	Vic.	Qld	S.A. (c)	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
REGISTERED FOR EMPLOYMENT WITH COMMONWEALTH EMPLOYMENT SERVICE(d)							
June—							
1967 .. ..	24,957	16,152	13,025	8,484	3,757	2,116	68,491
1968 .. ..	20,808	19,595	10,252	8,359	4,151	2,088	65,253
1969 .. ..	18,277	13,254	10,908	6,300	4,007	2,120	54,866
1970 .. ..	16,527	13,008	8,585	6,360	5,147	1,888	51,515
1971 .. ..	21,609	17,878	9,412	7,975	6,683	2,682	66,239
1967—							
December ..	24,252	23,930	18,195	10,304	3,844	3,064	83,589
1968—							
March .. ..	21,595	19,227	14,972	8,308	3,626	1,635	69,363
June .. ..	20,808	19,595	10,252	8,359	4,151	2,088	65,253
September ..	16,363	14,132	6,618	6,207	3,150	1,892	48,362
December ..	24,911	24,246	17,327	9,140	4,437	3,100	83,161
1969—							
March .. ..	19,294	13,929	13,466	7,381	3,954	2,160	60,184
June .. ..	18,277	13,254	10,908	6,300	4,007	2,120	54,866
September ..	14,439	10,737	6,472	4,530	2,842	2,101	41,121
December ..	23,837	21,280	15,566	8,297	4,614	3,475	77,069
1970—							
March .. ..	15,018	11,020	11,457	6,186	4,165	1,874	49,720
June .. ..	16,527	13,008	8,585	6,360	5,147	1,888	51,515
September ..	17,228	12,382	6,690	5,638	3,817	1,970	47,725
December ..	27,921	23,686	14,397	8,866	5,703	3,167	83,740
1971—							
March .. ..	20,311	15,514	13,313	7,740	5,929	1,962	64,769
June .. ..	21,609	17,878	9,412	7,975	6,683	2,682	66,239
VACANCIES REGISTERED WITH COMMONWEALTH EMPLOYMENT SERVICE(e)							
June—							
1967 .. ..	10,384	11,459	2,345	1,342	2,411	1,394	29,335
1968 .. ..	11,416	9,411	2,605	1,591	2,630	1,069	28,722
1969 .. ..	14,053	11,777	2,057	2,561	3,786	762	34,996
1970 .. ..	17,674	12,326	3,240	2,495	3,206	924	39,865
1971 .. ..	13,623	9,228	3,305	2,596	2,340	679	31,771
1967—							
December ..	14,846	17,617	2,979	3,659	3,470	2,849	45,420
1968—							
March .. ..	13,212	11,942	2,614	1,992	3,769	1,458	34,987
June .. ..	11,416	9,411	2,605	1,591	2,630	1,069	28,722
September ..	15,985	11,922	3,026	2,090	3,597	1,020	37,640
December ..	18,028	16,865	2,970	3,826	3,720	1,677	47,086
1969—							
March .. ..	15,124	13,200	2,131	2,210	5,111	859	38,635
June .. ..	14,053	11,777	2,057	2,561	3,786	762	34,996
September ..	18,934	15,576	2,828	3,108	5,257	1,033	46,736
December ..	24,763	21,678	2,687	5,429	5,333	1,547	61,437
1970—							
March .. ..	22,932	18,497	3,227	3,686	4,868	1,297	54,507
June .. ..	17,674	12,326	3,240	2,495	3,206	924	39,865
September ..	21,224	14,038	3,758	3,133	3,933	1,130	47,226
December ..	25,009	21,056	3,633	4,491	3,920	1,445	59,554
1971—							
March .. ..	18,027	12,144	3,057	2,887	3,504	918	40,537
June .. ..	13,623	9,228	3,305	2,596	2,340	679	31,771

(a) Generally at Friday nearest end of month. (b) Includes the Australian Capital Territory. (c) Includes the Northern Territory. (d) Persons who claimed, when registering with the Commonwealth Employment Service that they were not employed and who were recorded as unemployed. Includes those referred to employers and those who may have obtained employment without notifying the C.E.S. (e) Vacancies which employers claimed were available immediately or would be available, by the end of the following calendar month.

## UNEMPLOYMENT, SICKNESS AND SPECIAL BENEFITS

Average number of persons on benefit at the end of each week

(For particulars of benefits paid, see pages 132-3)

Period	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT									
Year—									
1966-67 ..	7,497	3,516	5,317	5,994	718	433	12	32	20,619
1967-68 ..	7,172	4,639	5,241	3,299	608	506	7	24	21,496
1968-69 ..	5,321	4,304	4,500	2,576	524	571	9	12	17,818
1969-70 ..	3,980	2,743	3,804	1,645	474	548	8	11	13,212
1970-71 ..	4,395	3,391	3,763	2,025	872	501	8	25	14,979
Quarter ended—									
December 1969	3,861	2,411	3,129	1,303	376	551	6	12	11,649
March 1970 ..	4,355	2,802	5,743	2,019	583	575	11	15	16,102
June 1970 ..	3,507	2,507	3,551	1,654	520	369	5	9	12,121
September 1970	3,856	3,078	2,388	1,766	788	531	7	8	12,422
December 1970	3,909	2,701	2,776	1,517	598	464	3	18	11,987
March 1971 ..	4,832	3,478	5,513	2,372	978	495	18	35	17,722
June 1971 ..	4,982	4,305	4,376	2,442	1,122	515	5	41	17,788
SICKNESS BENEFIT									
Year—									
1966-67 ..	4,193	2,494	1,480	871	729	281	21	40	10,108
1967-68 ..	4,229	2,386	1,417	909	677	259	20	38	9,935
1968-69 ..	3,593	2,086	1,159	755	525	234	21	34	8,407
1969-70 ..	3,591	2,286	1,195	720	492	228	27	34	8,572
1970-71 ..	3,852	2,634	1,268	868	547	292	36	28	9,524
Quarter ended—									
December 1969	3,653	2,247	1,228	703	495	220	27	34	8,608
March 1970 ..	3,479	2,231	1,204	702	452	207	23	30	8,327
June 1970 ..	3,652	2,447	1,193	736	512	260	34	40	8,873
September 1970	3,692	2,607	1,223	839	520	266	30	39	9,215
December 1970	3,830	2,598	1,257	846	525	276	26	26	9,385
March 1971 ..	3,747	2,522	1,263	833	540	279	39	23	9,247
June 1971 ..	4,139	2,808	1,328	953	602	346	46	21	10,244
SPECIAL (ORDINARY) BENEFIT(a)									
Year—									
1966-67 ..	622	948	326	112	81	104	1	2	2,195
1967-68 ..	651	1,003	310	102	72	89	1	3	2,232
1968-69(b) ..	1,203	1,486	553	243	230	135	5	8	3,863
1969-70 ..	1,299	1,532	593	276	231	145	12	14	4,103
1970-71 ..	1,517	1,061	649	286	278	146	16	18	3,971
Quarter ended—									
December 1969	1,266	1,608	539	258	227	138	13	12	4,062
March 1970 ..	1,235	1,697	599	277	206	136	12	12	4,174
June 1970 ..	1,328	1,268	651	299	253	155	13	21	3,987
September 1970	1,430	1,130	622	296	252	150	18	17	3,914
December 1970	1,512	1,084	643	284	294	132	14	14	3,978
March 1971 ..	1,507	1,040	663	272	287	151	14	17	3,951
June 1971 ..	1,621	989	669	290	279	151	17	23	4,039

(a) Excludes migrants in Commonwealth centres or hostels awaiting their first placement in employment in Australia. The average number of these migrants receiving special benefits at the end of each week was: 1966-67, 218; 1967-68, 300; 1968-69, 444; 1969-70, 342; 1970-71, 322, quarter ending June 1971, 245. (b) From June 1968 special benefits instead of sickness or unemployment benefits, became payable for confinements.

## INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES(a)

Period	Disputes	Workers involved ('000)			Working days lost		Estimated loss to wages (\$'000)
		Directly	Indirectly (b)	Total	Number ('000)	Average days per worker involved	
NEW SOUTH WALES							
Year—							
1969 .. .. .	1,133	507.9	13.8	521.7	743.8	1.42	8,666.3
1970 .. .. .	1,484	703.7	36.9	740.6	1,393.6	1.88	17,516.5
Quarter ended—							
September 1969 .. .. .	336	77.0	3.7	80.6	166.5	2.06	1,955.4
December 1969 .. .. .	302	114.9	3.1	118.0	148.4	1.26	1,789.5
March 1970 .. .. .	379	121.6	7.5	129.1	217.9	1.69	2,588.1
June 1970 .. .. .	336	149.2	12.5	161.7	501.2	3.10	6,338.0
September 1970 .. .. .	404	332.6	8.1	340.7	410.5	1.20	5,044.1
December 1970 .. .. .	365	100.3	8.8	109.1	263.9	2.42	3,546.4
March 1971 .. .. .	338	133.2	4.6	137.8	251.5	1.82	3,490.9
VICTORIA							
Year—							
1969 .. .. .	367	336.7	19.8	356.4	717.2	2.01	8,619.6
1970 .. .. .	447	323.9	9.1	333.0	510.8	1.53	6,793.7
Quarter ended—							
September 1969 .. .. .	112	37.2	1.1	38.3	76.7	2.01	1,006.3
December 1969 .. .. .	90	45.2	1.9	47.2	153.7	3.26	2,022.3
March 1970 .. .. .	97	44.8	1.6	46.4	72.6	1.57	893.1
June 1970 .. .. .	113	80.6	1.6	82.2	132.5	1.61	1,734.0
September 1970 .. .. .	130	126.8	4.8	131.5	123.2	0.94	1,562.2
December 1970 .. .. .	107	71.8	1.1	72.9	182.5	2.51	2,604.4
March 1971 .. .. .	93	68.1	2.7	70.8	75.5	1.07	1,132.8
QUEENSLAND							
Year—							
1969 .. .. .	253	215.0	3.5	218.5	238.6	1.09	2,523.6
1970 .. .. .	378	153.7	5.2	158.9	179.2	1.13	2,413.1
Quarter ended—							
September 1969 .. .. .	65	10.3	1.6	11.9	16.3	1.38	186.8
December 1969 .. .. .	72	17.1	0.9	17.9	22.7	1.26	277.1
March 1970 .. .. .	66	17.2	0.3	17.4	27.8	1.60	352.0
June 1970 .. .. .	100	40.1	2.2	42.2	61.3	1.45	778.2
September 1970 .. .. .	113	76.4	2.1	78.6	52.0	0.66	681.7
December 1970 .. .. .	99	20.0	0.6	20.6	38.1	1.85	601.1
March 1971 .. .. .	113	28.1	0.8	28.9	49.5	1.71	664.5
SOUTH AUSTRALIA							
Year—							
1969 .. .. .	72	101.1	1.7	102.8	129.0	1.25	1,551.4
1970 .. .. .	156	48.9	8.1	57.0	93.1	1.63	1,123.1
Quarter ended—							
September 1969 .. .. .	21	5.0	*	5.0	8.4	1.67	92.8
December 1969 .. .. .	21	6.5	0.1	6.5	21.7	3.32	322.3
March 1970 .. .. .	33	8.3	6.2	14.5	21.0	1.46	258.6
June 1970 .. .. .	42	10.9	0.8	11.6	30.6	2.63	378.4
September 1970 .. .. .	45	22.0	0.3	22.3	26.2	1.18	312.9
December 1970 .. .. .	36	7.7	0.9	8.6	15.2	1.77	173.2
March 1971 .. .. .	36	5.1	0.2	5.3	8.3	1.57	111.9

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## Industrial disputes(a)—continued

Period	Disputes	Workers involved ('000)			Working days lost		Estimated loss in wages (\$'000)
		Directly	Indirectly (b)	Total	Number ('000)	Average days per worker involved	
WESTERN AUSTRALIA							
Year—							
1969 .. .. .	104	57.0	2.1	59.1	101.4	1.72	1,284.2
1970 .. .. .	125	44.4	2.1	46.5	141.1	3.04	1,963.3
Quarter ended—							
September 1969 ..	22	4.1	0.1	4.2	12.2	2.91	178.8
December 1969 ..	27	6.7	0.3	7.0	21.8	3.10	313.9
March 1970 .. ..	40	9.6	0.5	10.1	40.8	4.06	508.8
June 1970 .. .. .	23	12.2	0.8	13.0	20.2	1.55	314.5
September 1970 ..	29	10.2	0.7	10.9	22.9	2.09	336.4
December 1970 ..	33	12.4	0.1	12.4	57.2	4.60	803.6
March 1971 .. ..	28	3.7	0.3	4.0	8.9	2.22	133.8
TASMANIA							
Year—							
1969 .. .. .	44	8.6	0.1	8.7	9.9	1.14	115.3
1970 .. .. .	66	12.8	2.0	14.8	32.2	2.18	451.1
Quarter ended—							
September 1969 ..	9	1.0	0.1	1.1	2.4	2.16	33.6
December 1969 ..	16	1.6	..	1.6	1.5	0.90	17.1
March 1970 .. ..	12	3.1	*	3.1	4.5	1.43	51.8
June 1970 .. .. .	20	4.1	0.1	4.1	4.6	1.12	60.0
September 1970 ..	23	4.3	1.5	5.8	15.4	2.65	195.3
December 1970 ..	11	1.3	0.4	1.7	7.7	4.47	144.0
March 1971 .. ..	7	1.6	0.1	1.7	4.4	2.62	87.5
AUSTRALIA(c)							
Year—							
1969 .. .. .	2,014	1,244.0	41.2	1,285.2	1,958.0	1.52	22,985.7
1970 .. .. .	2,738	1,304.2	63.3	1,367.4	2,393.7	1.75	30,883.3
Quarter ended—							
September 1969 ..	573	136.3	6.5	142.8	284.8	2.00	3,492.9
December 1969 ..	542	193.9	6.5	200.4	371.6	1.85	4,772.4
March 1970 .. ..	643	206.9	15.9	222.9	388.5	1.73	4,713.0
June 1970 .. .. .	654	301.1	17.9	319.0	759.4	2.38	9,731.5
September 1970 ..	775	579.9	17.6	597.5	667.1	1.12	8,369.5
December 1970 ..	666	216.2	11.8	228.0	578.8	2.54	8,069.4
March 1971 .. ..	630	242.9	8.6	251.5	402.9	1.60	5,706.3

For footnotes see page 24. \* Less than 50.

## INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES(a): INDUSTRY GROUPS: AUSTRALIA

Period	Mining and quarrying		Manufacturing		Building and construction	Transport		Other groups	All groups
	Coal mining	Other	Engineering metals, vehicles, etc.	Other		Stevedoring	Other		
NUMBER									
Year —									
1966 ..	212	17	385	260	248	49	62	40	1,273
1967 ..	192	32	448	231	185	103	71	78	1,340
1968 ..	205	32	455	313	235	298	101	74	1,713
1969 ..	215	39	543	391	273	291	137	105	2,014
1970 ..	191	83	822	579	291	444	149	179	2,738
Quarter ended—									
September 1969	66	14	165	128	78	60	36	26	573
December 1969	54	7	152	96	57	86	52	38	542
March 1970 ..	53	9	201	119	83	104	25	49	643
June 1970 ..	32	24	201	154	57	109	33	44	654
September 1970	62	23	230	160	79	134	49	38	775
December 1970	44	27	190	146	72	97	42	48	666
March 1971 ..	52	17	196	108	81	98	25	53	630

## TOTAL WORKERS INVOLVED (DIRECTLY AND INDIRECTLY) ('000)

Year—									
1966 .. ..	46.7	8.4	115.9	90.3	77.2	9.0	28.5	18.9	394.9
1967 .. ..	40.9	7.2	242.1	49.8	26.6	28.3	48.4	40.0	483.3
1968 .. ..	46.2	11.4	271.7	80.2	81.1	105.6	51.4	72.5	720.3
1969 .. ..	53.7	20.8	366.9	169.7	187.7	151.9	205.0	129.6	1,285.2
1970 .. ..	63.7	26.4	361.0	253.9	227.8	192.0	116.4	126.0	1,367.4
Quarter ended—									
September 1969	9.6	6.4	36.7	37.5	22.1	23.3	4.0	3.2	142.8
December 1969	9.4	1.6	41.8	23.1	40.8	37.9	10.1	35.6	200.4
March 1970 ..	26.5	1.2	62.0	22.5	24.8	50.4	7.5	28.0	222.9
June 1970 ..	7.7	8.2	64.5	39.0	82.9	47.3	46.4	22.9	319.0
September 1970	20.8	7.4	189.9	160.6	81.8	60.2	44.3	32.5	597.5
December 1970	8.6	9.7	44.7	31.8	38.3	34.1	18.2	42.6	228.0
March 1971 ..	21.6	2.3	35.1	18.6	83.6	39.6	5.6	45.1	251.5

## TOTAL WORKING DAYS LOST ('000)

Year—									
1966 .. ..	67.9	19.6	150.3	211.3	144.5	4.8	112.5	21.3	732.1
1967 .. ..	48.4	10.6	259.3	157.7	84.5	17.9	70.6	56.4	705.3
1968 .. ..	61.1	67.7	423.5	130.3	119.5	77.3	77.0	123.0	1,079.5
1969 .. ..	76.1	76.9	643.6	320.7	276.4	136.2	283.2	144.9	1,958.0
1970 .. ..	178.4	76.5	625.9	464.0	642.6	148.3	120.1	137.9	2,393.7
Quarter ended—									
September 1969	13.3	11.0	82.7	88.4	47.9	17.3	17.9	6.4	284.8
December 1969	18.2	16.7	125.6	96.7	44.9	19.8	10.8	38.9	371.6
March 1970 ..	46.6	2.6	137.7	48.3	41.9	69.1	7.2	35.1	388.5
June 1970 ..	84.2	14.4	149.7	85.5	330.8	31.7	39.7	23.4	759.4
September 1970	33.8	25.9	224.9	211.5	58.9	31.0	42.8	38.2	667.1
December 1970	13.7	33.5	113.6	118.7	211.1	16.6	30.4	41.2	578.8
March 1971 ..	53.5	5.3	90.7	41.7	106.8	16.7	43.3	45.0	402.9

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## EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT

## Industrial disputes(a): Industry groups: Australia—continued

Period	Mining and quarrying		Manufacturing		Building and construction	Transport		Other groups	All groups
	Coal mining	Other	Engineering metals, vehicles, etc.	Other		Stevedoring	Other		
ESTIMATED LOSS IN WAGES									
(\$'000)									
Year—									
1966 .. ..	660.0	304.9	1,452.0	1,989.6	1,549.6	51.0	1,127.5	167.9	7,302.5
1967 .. ..	494.9	127.8	2,585.0	1,753.2	961.8	195.3	654.0	491.1	7,263.1
1968 .. ..	701.6	1,140.5	4,558.9	1,442.2	1,478.9	797.5	760.5	1,235.1	12,115.2
1969 .. ..	941.3	1,277.3	7,415.3	3,774.2	3,667.1	1,505.8	2,883.9	1,520.8	22,985.7
1970 .. ..	2,235.2	1,236.4	7,880.6	5,622.9	9,009.7	1,752.6	1,459.0	1,687.1	30,883.3
Quarter ended—									
September 1969	156.6	181.0	958.2	1,065.8	637.8	193.9	230.2	69.5	3,492.9
December 1969	243.6	326.4	1,551.9	1,239.1	636.3	221.6	148.7	404.9	4,772.4
March 1970 ..	581.2	39.8	1,685.1	575.8	599.4	772.8	89.4	369.6	4,713.0
June 1970 ..	1,036.4	238.2	1,894.9	1,049.0	4,402.6	377.1	424.6	108.8	9,731.5
September 1970	429.8	433.0	2,802.4	2,481.9	821.8	393.2	521.5	485.9	8,369.5
December 1970	187.8	525.3	1,498.2	1,516.3	3,185.9	209.4	423.6	522.8	8,069.4
March 1971 ..	705.4	104.3	1,235.5	538.5	1,692.5	222.2	662.6	545.2	5,706.3

(a) Refers only to disputes involving a stoppage of work of ten man-days or more. (b) Persons thrown out of work at the establishments where the stoppages occurred but not themselves parties to the dispute. (c) Includes the Northern Territory and the Australian Capital Territory.

Note. Disputes not settled at the end of a year are included as new disputes in the figures for the following year. Disputes not settled at the end of a quarter are not counted in the number of disputes for the following quarter, but additional workers involved and working days and wages lost are included.

## TRADE UNIONS

## Number and membership

Year	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T. (a)	A.C.T. (a)	Aust.
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## NUMBER OF SEPARATE UNIONS

Year	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T. (a)	A.C.T. (a)	Aust. (b)
1966 .. ..	220	154	140	136	157	110	38	66	330
1967 .. ..	213	152	138	133	155	107	40	65	324
1968 .. ..	210	153	135	133	157	112	40	70	319
1969 .. ..	210	152	135	135	153	112	43	70	309
1970 .. ..	208	156	139	137	155	114	45	82	305

## NUMBER OF MEMBERS ('000)

Year	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T. (a)	A.C.T. (a)	Aust.
1966 .. ..	817.3	539.4	351.6	178.5	146.6	65.5	4.1	29.7	2,123.5
1967 .. ..	832.8	545.5	344.0	182.2	152.3	68.1	4.5	22.0	2,151.3
1968 .. ..	861.5	550.7	334.1	185.6	160.9	68.2	5.6	24.1	2,190.7
1969 .. ..	884.8	559.8	336.4	194.2	162.2	69.9	5.9	26.0	2,239.1
1970 .. ..	912.3	591.5	330.2	202.7	168.6	73.9	6.6	28.8	2,314.6

(a) Some unions in the Territories are affiliated with State organisations and their membership is reported under the heading of that State. More accurate reporting of membership by location over the years is reflected in the annual figures for the Territories and this affects their comparability over time. (b) Without interstate duplication. The State figures do not add to the Australian total because a union represented in more than one State is included in the figure for each State in which it is represented, but is counted only once in the Australian total.

## Trade unions—continued

## Industry groups: Australia(a)

Industry group	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970
NUMBER OF SEPARATE UNIONS(b)					
Agriculture, grazing, etc.	3	3	3	3	3
Mining and quarrying	12	12	12	12	12
Manufacturing—					
Engineering, metals, vehicles, etc.	10	9	9	9	9
Textiles, clothing and footwear	6	6	5	5	5
Food, drink and tobacco	32	32	31	28	27
Sawmilling, furniture, etc.	6	6	6	6	6
Paper, printing, etc.	5	5	5	5	5
Other manufacturing	27	25	22	22	21
Total manufacturing	86	83	78	75	73
Building and construction	24	24	23	20	20
Railway and tramway services	24	24	22	22	21
Road and air transport	11	11	11	12	13
Shipping and stevedoring	13	13	13	12	12
Banking, insurance and clerical	15	15	15	14	13
Wholesale and retail trade	12	11	11	11	11
Public authority (n.e.i.), etc.(c)	71	70	71	69	70
Amusement, hotels, personal service, etc.	22	21	21	21	21
Other industries(d)	37	37	39	38	36
Total	330	324	319	309	305

## NUMBER OF MEMBERS ('000)

Agriculture, grazing, etc.	61.3	60.4	58.5	58.3	55.4
Mining and quarrying	35.7	34.5	34.5	34.2	35.3
Manufacturing—					
Engineering, metals, vehicles, etc.	331.8	343.1	352.4	363.3	389.3
Textiles, clothing and footwear	107.8	109.6	107.3	99.9	101.7
Food, drink and tobacco	134.5	133.4	125.9	134.3	143.1
Sawmilling, furniture, etc.	38.9	34.9	34.7	32.8	32.1
Paper, printing, etc.	54.8	57.5	59.2	59.9	61.7
Other manufacturing	94.7	85.3	87.6	90.4	91.8
Total manufacturing	762.4	763.7	767.1	780.5	819.6
Building and construction	143.5	142.6	145.5	139.1	135.1
Railway and tramway services	129.3	126.0	124.3	123.7	122.2
Road and air transport	72.9	75.0	77.5	80.4	84.1
Shipping and stevedoring	33.9	32.9	32.0	30.6	31.1
Banking, insurance and clerical	142.8	146.8	147.0	149.0	153.2
Wholesale and retail trade	86.5	84.7	89.7	88.3	86.7
Public authority (n.e.i.), etc.(c)	413.5	423.0	436.6	457.2	475.6
Amusement, hotels, personal service, etc.	55.8	56.5	58.6	62.4	64.3
Other industries(d)	186.0	205.3	219.3	235.3	252.0
Total	2,123.5	2,151.3	2,190.7	2,239.1	2,314.6

(a) This table does not supply a precise classification of trade unions and their members by industry, because wherever members of a union are employed in a number of industries they have been classified to the predominant industry for the union concerned. Comparability between years of membership figures for an industry group may be affected by amalgamation of trade unions classified to different industry groups. (b) Without interstate duplication. See footnote (b) second table page 24. (c) Includes communication and municipal, etc. (d) Includes community and business services.

## Trade unions—continued

## Number of Members and Proportion of Total Wage and Salary Earners, Australia(a)

Year	Number of members ('000)			Proportion of total wage and salary earners (per cent)		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
1966 .. ..	1,657.5	466.0	2,123.5	60	37	53
1967 .. ..	1,663.7	487.6	2,151.3	59	37	52
1968 .. ..	1,691.1	499.5	2,190.7	59	36	51
1969 .. ..	1,717.5	521.6	2,239.1	58	36	50
1970 .. ..	1,750.6	564.1	2,314.6	57	36	50

(a) The percentages are approximate. The estimates of total wage and salary earners have been derived by adding figures for employees in rural industries and in private domestic service recorded at the 1966 Population Census to the estimates of employees in all other industries as at the end of each year. In comparing the percentages shown in these tables with those previously published allowance should be made for the fact that the present percentages are based on a new series of employment estimates as from June 1966 (see page 17). The change is more significant for female employees as the new employment estimates include a considerable number of part-time employees who had previously been excluded.

## Classification According to Number of Members, Australia

Year	Under 2,000	2,000 and under 5,000	5,000 and under 10,000	10,000 and under 20,000	20,000 and under 30,000	30,000 and under 40,000	40,000 and under 50,000	50,000 and over	Total
1966 .. ..	227	35	18	20	6	7	5	12	330
1967 .. ..	219	39	14	22	6	7	5	12	324
1968 .. ..	212	41	14	21	7	6	6	12	319
1969 .. ..	202	40	15	19	8	7	5	13	309
1970 .. ..	198	40	13	21	7	7	5	14	305

## NUMBER OF SEPARATE UNIONS

Year	2 States	3 States	4 States	5 States	6 States	Total
1966 .. ..	10	4	22	31	75	142
1967 .. ..	11	3	22	27	77	140
1968 .. ..	11	5	18	26	81	141
1969 .. ..	10	7	18	23	84	142
1970 .. ..	11	7	17	27	85	147

## NUMBER OF MEMBERS ('000)

Year	2 States	3 States	4 States	5 States	6 States	Total			
1966	126.2	115.0	132.1	288.4	141.4	243.7	224.3	852.4	2,123.5
1967	118.3	129.3	101.9	316.6	145.7	245.4	224.6	869.6	2,151.3
1968	112.3	135.8	103.5	304.4	168.8	211.6	263.5	890.7	2,190.7
1969	109.3	135.8	108.6	268.4	188.5	250.2	214.5	963.9	2,239.1
1970	110.1	136.7	88.4	304.9	158.1	247.5	222.1	1,046.9	2,314.6

## Interstate or Federated Trade Unions: Number and Membership(a)

Year	Unions operating in—					Total
	2 States	3 States	4 States	5 States	6 States	
1966 .. ..	10	4	22	31	75	142
1967 .. ..	11	3	22	27	77	140
1968 .. ..	11	5	18	26	81	141
1969 .. ..	10	7	18	23	84	142
1970 .. ..	11	7	17	27	85	147

## NUMBER OF UNIONS

Year	2 States	3 States	4 States	5 States	6 States	Total
1966 .. ..	10	4	22	31	75	142
1967 .. ..	11	3	22	27	77	140
1968 .. ..	11	5	18	26	81	141
1969 .. ..	10	7	18	23	84	142
1970 .. ..	11	7	17	27	85	147

## NUMBER OF MEMBERS ('000)

Year	2 States	3 States	4 States	5 States	6 States	Total
1966 .. ..	20.9	21.0	243.3	402.5	1,242.0	1,929.6
1967 .. ..	22.2	20.4	184.9	281.8	1,447.7	1,957.0
1968 .. ..	21.9	21.8	152.5	326.1	1,474.4	1,996.7
1969 .. ..	22.5	31.0	130.0	294.8	1,571.9	2,050.2
1970 .. ..	21.8	23.9	97.1	382.6	1,595.4	2,120.8

(a) Certain unions have, in addition to branches in the States, branches in the Northern Territory and in the Australian Capital Territory.

# SECTION III. PRIMARY AND SECONDARY INDUSTRIES

## WHEAT FOR GRAIN: AREA, PRODUCTION AND YIELD PER ACRE

Season	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	A.C.T.	Aust.
AREA SOWN ( <sup>000</sup> acres)								
1966-67	7,135	3,138	1,227	2,960	6,347	13	3	20,823
1967-68	8,215	3,224	1,477	2,864	6,647	12	2	22,441
1968-69	9,962	3,984	1,789	3,748	7,295	17	4	26,799
1969-70	8,623	3,298	1,504	3,210	6,788	15	3	23,440
1970-71p	5,600	1,840	810	1,960	5,837	11	1	16,659

PRODUCTION ( <sup>000</sup> bushels)								
1966-67	202,501	70,896	35,730	53,816	103,195	385	87	446,610
1967-68	87,323	28,317	27,417	26,899	106,975	316	42	277,289
1968-69	215,119	90,728	42,000	83,160	112,450	410	84	543,950
1969-70	162,786	83,544	14,898	59,159	66,700	353	73	387,512
1970-71p	114,000	36,400	4,680	31,070	108,650	275	32	295,107

YIELD PER ACRE (Bushels)								
1966-67	28.4	22.6	29.1	18.2	16.3	30.2	32.5	22.4
1967-68	10.6	8.8	18.6	9.4	16.1	26.3	17.8	12.4
1968-69	21.6	22.8	23.5	22.2	15.4	23.6	20.1	20.3
1969-70	18.9	25.3	9.9	18.4	9.8	23.9	27.0	16.5
1970-71p	20.4	19.8	5.8	15.8	18.6	25.0	17.9	18.4

## TOTAL AREA OF WHEAT SOWN FOR ALL PURPOSES (<sup>000</sup> acres)

Season	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	A.C.T.	Aust.
1966-67	7,319	3,167	1,299	3,017	6,392	14	3	21,211
1967-68	8,420	3,335	1,563	2,952	6,692	14	2	22,978
1968-69	10,173	4,026	1,877	3,806	7,337	19	5	27,243
1969-70	8,825	3,340	1,675	3,272	6,925	17	3	24,057
1970-71p	5,740	1,860	880	2,015	5,922	11	1	16,429

## OTHER PRINCIPAL CROPS: AUSTRALIA

Season	Grain			Potatoes	Hay	Sugar cane		Total area of crops
	Oats	Barley	Maize			Cut for crushing	Cane sugar (94 N.T.)	

AREA ( <sup>000</sup> acres)								
1966-67	4,258	2,498	201	99	3,496	557	..	39,553
1967-68	3,380	2,611	200	106	2,800	553	..	40,168
1968-69	3,872	3,314	176	113	3,955	568	..	46,940
1969-70	3,396	3,759	191	107	3,192	526	..	43,930
1970-71p	3,900	5,100	..	..	..	543	..	..

PRODUCTION								
	<sup>000</sup> bushels	<sup>000</sup> bushels	<sup>000</sup> bushels	<sup>000</sup> tons	<sup>000</sup> tons	<sup>000</sup> tons	<sup>000</sup> tons	
1966-67	107,106	61,588	7,491	643	6,371	16,685	2,343	..
1967-68	39,628	36,798	7,132	658	3,812	16,756	2,334	..
1968-69	94,250	72,588	6,826	798	7,328	18,413	2,725	..
1969-70	68,723	74,901	6,797	750	5,728	15,535	2,179	..
1970-71p	91,000	10,900	..	..	..	17,000	..	..

## PRIMARY INDUSTRIES

NUMBER OF PRINCIPAL LIVESTOCK  
('000)

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CATTLE									
1967 ..	4,146	3,528	6,919	687	1,357	522	1,097	14	18,270
1968 ..	4,555	3,474	7,361	695	1,427	564	1,130	13	19,218
1969 ..	4,864	3,878	7,668	865	1,546	586	1,190	14	20,611
1970 ..	5,637	4,462	7,515	1,026	1,681	646	1,179	15	22,162
1971p ..	6,475	5,064	8,000	1,215	1,760	730	1,132	17	24,393

SHEEP									
1967 ..	63,848	31,239	19,305	17,864	27,370	4,321	8	281	164,237
1968 ..	67,786	27,909	19,948	16,405	30,161	4,425	9	267	166,912
1969 ..	68,153	30,185	20,324	18,392	32,901	4,395	10	246	174,605
1970 ..	72,284	33,157	16,446	19,747	33,634	4,560	8	244	180,080
1971p ..	71,100	34,093	15,117	19,293	34,685	4,598	8	243	179,137

Pigs									
1967 .. ..	514	351	468	222	161	86	3	..	1,804
1968 .. ..	645	377	520	242	183	87	2	..	2,056
1969 .. ..	690	422	535	288	220	95	2	..	2,253
1970 .. ..	708	495	480	351	250	111	4	..	2,398
1971p .. ..	780	520	493	393	277	113	4	..	2,580

PRODUCTION OF WOOL (GREASY BASIS)  
('000 lb)

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# RECEIPTS AND SALES OF WOOL BY WOOL SELLING BROKERS AND STOCKS OF UNSOLD WOOL HELD IN BROKERS' STORES(a)

(Source: National Council of Wool Selling Brokers of Australia)

Period	Receipts of first hand wool into store	Sales			Unsold wool in store at end of period
		Weight	Value	Average Value	
	Bales(b)	'000 lb	\$'000	c per lb	Bales(b)
Year—					
1966-67 ..	4,813,508	1,496,747	709,261	47.38	231,510
1967-68 ..	4,841,920	1,531,464	639,432	41.75	186,373
1968-69 ..	5,198,846	1,622,257	724,634	44.67	255,370
1969-70 ..	5,438,863	1,736,977	652,170	37.55	170,157
1970-71p ..	5,044,469	1,594,872	468,011	29.34	238,319

(a) Includes small amounts of scoured wool. (b) Bales of approximately 300 lb weight.

## PRODUCTION OF MILK AND MILK PRODUCTS

PRODUCTION AND UTILISATION OF WHOLE MILK: AUSTRALIA

('000 gal)

Period	Quantity used for—				Total whole milk
	Factory butter	Factory cheese	Processed milk products (a)	Other purposes (b)	
Year—					
1966-67 ..	1,011,000	146,547	99,502	347,676	1,604,725
1967-68 ..	892,898	149,444	98,555	356,587	1,497,484
1968-69 ..	908,565	158,286	98,945	364,802	1,530,597
1969-70 ..	1,021,105	160,597	103,557	375,755	1,661,013
1970-71p ..	924,338	162,966	128,259	384,617	1,600,180

(a) Quantities of milk used to produce two or more products (for example, initially as full cream milk and subsequently as skim milk) are counted once only. (b) Principally fluid milk for domestic purposes. Includes milk used for farm production of butter and cheese.

## WHOLE MILK FOR ALL PURPOSES

('000 gal)

Period	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
Year—									
1966-67 ..	322,995	796,673	238,134	98,727	55,611	91,418	97	1,070	1,604,725
1967-68 ..	310,056	734,203	217,202	88,822	55,411	90,793	97	900	1,497,484
1968-69 ..	278,930	815,791	171,686	102,808	58,222	102,164	97	898	1,530,597
1969-70 ..	310,876	892,378	191,401	106,236	55,873	103,213	97	939	1,661,013
1970-71p ..	276,167	898,970	167,627	103,592	54,869	98,085	97	773	1,600,180

## PRIMARY INDUSTRIES

## Production of milk and milk products—continued

Period	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
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## BUTTER (factory production)

('000 lb)

Year—									
1965-66 ..	73,901	250,680	70,189	16,160	18,133	31,370	..	..	460,433
1966-67 ..	86,392	266,907	74,375	15,092	14,394	32,056	..	..	489,217
1967-68 ..	71,281	241,240	63,546	12,133	13,248	30,865	..	..	432,313
1968-69p ..	52,172	280,206	43,083	14,507	13,937	35,315	..	..	439,220
1969-70p ..	63,881	313,753	50,258	17,268	13,014	36,033	..	..	494,206
1970-71p ..	46,933	299,486	41,387	14,588	11,959	33,671	..	..	448,024

## CHEESE (factory production)

('000 lb)

Year—									
1965-66 ..	9,786	58,158	17,773	36,281	2,712	6,590	..	..	131,300
1966-67 ..	12,023	67,907	23,071	38,598	3,807	8,427	..	..	153,834
1967-68 ..	12,074	73,570	22,181	32,773	4,373	10,414	..	..	155,385
1968-69p ..	12,201	75,256	17,871	42,218	4,458	12,834	..	..	164,838
1969-70p ..	18,705	73,866	20,491	39,437	3,787	11,921	..	..	168,206
1970-71p ..	16,923	78,935	16,947	41,681	4,226	12,239	..	..	170,952

## PROCESSED MILK PRODUCTS: AUSTRALIA

('000 lb)

Period	Condensed, concentrated and evaporated milk			Liquid ice cream mix	Infants' and invalids' food(b)	Casein	Powdered milk
	Full cream		Skim				
	Sweet- ened(a)	Unsweet- ened					
Year—							
1965-66 .. .. .	73,985	88,482	21,196	15,198	45,280	50,712	182,301
1966-67 .. .. .	61,510	91,700	24,974	15,422	49,348	45,812	269,120
1967-68 .. .. .	47,316	87,946	18,932	9,065	48,234	44,815	276,893
1968-69p .. .. .	40,437	98,560	19,144	7,245	54,582	64,963	247,554
1969-70p .. .. .	36,551	100,527	18,798	8,906	56,574	71,139	301,468
1970-71p .. .. .	36,809	132,078	27,893	12,983	52,861	62,788	296,117

(a) Includes 'coffee and milk'.

(b) Includes malted milk and milk sugar (lactose).

## PRODUCTION OF MEAT (CARCASS WEIGHT)

(Tons)

Period	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Abst.
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## BEEF AND VEAL

Year—										
1966-67	..	209,403	224,983	295,810	38,754	54,811	24,695	16,572	1,711	864,739
1967-68	..	220,879	223,307	310,478	33,074	59,249	25,084	16,779	1,692	889,642
1968-69	..	217,011	212,859	340,744	35,617	67,751	27,936	16,239	1,891	920,048
1969-70	..	273,358	249,574	309,771	40,059	71,902	31,011	16,147	2,636	994,458
1970-71p	..	275,673	296,630	300,077	42,976	61,589	28,947	14,092	3,129	1,023,113

## MUTTON

Year—										
1966-67	..	82,194	148,878	31,997	41,584	32,831	11,232	45	804	349,565
1967-68	..	105,045	172,535	35,970	48,135	38,123	11,482	9	970	412,269
1968-69	..	105,734	129,492	38,300	33,122	46,793	11,516	1	1,088	366,046
1969-70	..	109,353	166,099	40,503	47,910	57,898	12,565	2	(a) 167	434,497
1970-71p	..	122,758	167,353	37,174	51,402	54,247	14,523	33	(a) 270	447,760

## LAMB

Year—										
1966-67	..	91,663	94,719	5,747	20,892	13,550	9,670	..	817	237,058
1967-68	..	98,124	89,080	7,831	20,595	16,936	8,363	..	825	241,754
1968-69	..	118,211	118,480	9,908	23,702	20,920	10,936	..	1,152	303,309
1969-70	..	124,148	111,611	10,208	30,262	18,916	11,104	..	2,315	308,564
1970-71p	..	129,501	126,400	11,593	39,828	21,164	11,080	..	2,892	342,458

(a) Not strictly comparable with details for years prior to 1969-70 due to revised basis of reporting.

## PRIMARY INDUSTRIES

## Production of Meat (Carcass Weight)—continued

(Tons)

Period	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
PIGMEAT									
Year—									
1966-67 ..	38,283	33,094	33,255	15,947	11,584	7,164	87	386	139,800
1967-68 ..	41,129	33,204	36,739	15,787	13,159	6,890	93	385	147,386
1968-69 ..	46,313	36,582	39,168	15,939	14,006	7,024	107	460	159,599
1969-70 ..	49,032	40,355	37,280	19,765	16,718	7,881	87	386	171,504
1970-71p ..	49,352	45,340	36,693	22,161	16,421	8,844	104	522	179,437

## TOTAL IN TERMS OF FRESH MEAT

Year—									
1966-67 ..	421,543	501,674	366,809	117,177	112,776	52,761	14,704	3,718	1,591,162
1967-68 ..	465,177	518,126	391,018	117,391	127,467	51,819	15,981	3,872	1,691,051
1968-69 ..	487,269	497,413	428,120	108,380	149,470	57,412	16,347	4,591	1,749,002
1969-70 ..	555,891	567,639	397,762	137,996	165,434	62,561	16,236	5,504	1,909,023
1970-71p ..	577,284	635,723	385,537	156,367	153,421	63,394	14,229	6,813	1,992,768

## PRODUCTION OF POULTRY MEAT(a)

Dressed weight of poultry slaughtered

('000 lb)

Period	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld(b)	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
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## CHICKENS

(Broilers, fryers and roasters)

Year—							
1966-67 .. ..	81,159	34,762	26,236	9,167	14,837	1,969	168,130
1967-68 .. ..	96,035	41,386	29,841	10,962	16,862	2,264	197,350
1968-69 .. ..	97,153	39,445	35,578	10,937	20,672	2,866	206,651
1969-70 .. ..	107,819	45,059	41,752	13,879	21,357	2,566	232,432
1970-71p.. ..	138,428	55,767	46,804	19,838	25,526	2,932	289,294

## OTHER FOWLS

(Hens, roosters, etc.)

Year—							
1966-67 .. ..	7,953	2,969	3,607	667	1,304	440	16,940
1967-68 .. ..	9,015	3,318	4,511	964	1,338	525	19,671
1968-69 .. ..	9,951	4,667	4,314	987	1,508	447	21,875
1969-70 .. ..	10,266	5,826	4,850	996	1,590	363	23,891
1970-71p.. ..	11,400	6,731	5,423	1,163	1,995	394	27,106

## DUCKS AND DRAKES

Year—							
1966-67 .. ..	1,140	897	328	235	225	(c) 172	2,997
1967-68 .. ..	1,259	883	353	138	225	(c) 241	3,099
1968-69 .. ..	1,953	1,005	513	130	(d)	(d)	3,849
1969-70 .. ..	1,948	880	313	187	(d)	(d)	3,605
1970-71p.. ..	2,704	907	302	222	(d)	(d)	4,527

(a) Dressed weight of all birds, including pieces and giblets, as reported by producers in all States except Queensland. (b) Estimated. (c) Includes turkeys and geese. (d) Not available for publication.

## PRIMARY INDUSTRIES

## Production of Poultry Meat(a)—continued

Dressed weight of poultry slaughtered—continued  
(‘000 lb)

Period	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld(b)	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
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## TURKEYS

Year—							
1966-67 .. ..	4,636	1,618	276	295	268	(c)	(d) 7,093
1967-68 .. ..	4,658	963	252	155	335		(d) 6,363
1968-69 .. ..	6,243	1,048	411	215	(e)	(e)	8,335
1969-70 .. ..	9,881	1,655	577	340			13,101
1970-71p.. ..	10,499	1,078	546	229			13,088

## TOTAL IN TERMS OF DRESSED WEIGHT

Year—							
1966-67 .. ..	94,888	40,246	30,447	10,363	16,634	2,581	195,159
1967-68 .. ..	110,967	46,550	34,957	12,219	18,759	3,030	226,482
1968-69 .. ..	115,299	46,166	40,816	12,269	22,653	3,507	240,709
1969-70 .. ..	129,915	53,420	47,493	15,403	23,668	3,131	273,029
1970-71p.. ..	163,031	64,482	53,075	21,452	28,458	3,518	334,015

(a) Dressed weights of all birds, including pieces and niblets, as reported by producers in all States except Queensland  
 (b) Estimated. (c) Included with ducks and drakes. (d) Incomplete, excludes particulars for Tasmania.  
 (e) Not available for publication.

## MINING AND QUARRYING: AUSTRALIA

NOTE. For preliminary results of the 1968-69 Censuses of Mining, Manufacturing, Retail Trade, and Wholesale Trade see pages 157-60.

Industry and year	No. of mines and quarries (a)	No. of persons employed (a)(b)	Salaries and wages paid (c)(d)	Value of power, fuel and light used (e)	Value of materials and stores etc., used (e)(f)	Value of production (e)(g)	Value of output (e)(h)	Additions and replacements to fixed tangible assets (e)(i)
	No.	No.	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000
1968								
Metal mining—								
Gold .. .. .	160	3,602	11,465	2,520	4,751	18,434	25,831	2,516
Silver-lead-zinc .. .. .	30	9,490	49,225	4,633	21,843	146,858	173,337	8,350
Copper-gold .. .. .	214	3,016	10,780	1,637	12,751	24,731	39,232	7,234
Tin .. .. .	341	1,544	5,056	1,229	2,999	12,982	17,317	3,651
Mineral sands .. .. .	23	2,694	10,015	3,155	6,606	29,443	39,205	11,470
Iron .. .. .	12	1,999	9,631	2,088	13,958	115,471	131,518	18,829
Other metal .. .. .	59	1,670	7,372	955	3,941	38,658	43,571	14,373
Total metal mining	839	24,015	103,544	16,217	66,849	386,577	470,010	66,423
Fuel mining—								
Black coal (j) .. .. .	155	16,308	75,607	9,059	40,063	178,969	228,094	109,281
Brown coal .. .. .	5	1,487	5,729	770	1,217	19,568	21,555	7,668
Total fuel mining ..	160	17,795	81,335	9,829	41,281	198,537	249,649	116,949
Non-metal (excl. fuel mining) .. .. .	1,152	3,433	6,753	1,162	4,474	30,735	36,928	9,927
Construction material quarrying .. .. .	1,395	6,531	11,290	2,814	10,574	82,629	96,735	6,744
Total all mining and quarrying ..	3,546	51,774	202,922	30,022	123,178	698,477	853,323	200,043
Total—1967 .. .. .	3,413	50,308	183,411	25,983	106,005	564,947	698,636	167,664
1966 .. .. .	3,198	48,589	169,636	24,318	87,830	511,728	625,152	149,661
1965 .. .. .	2,978	46,755	148,761	21,860	77,909	441,330	542,370	107,128
1964 .. .. .	2,892	45,756	132,946	21,294	72,078	397,846	492,800	77,194

(a) All mines and quarries. (b) Average number employed during whole year; includes working proprietors. (c) Mines and quarries with four or more employees. (d) Excludes amounts drawn by working proprietors. (e) Includes all fuels and purchased electricity. (f) Includes value of explosives sold to employees, water and lubricating oil, and repairs to plant. (g) Value added in process of mining (i.e. value of output less value of fuels, etc., and materials, etc., used). (h) Selling value at point of sale, of mine or quarry product, less transport costs from mine or quarry to point of sale (i.e. value of output at mine or quarry). (i) Includes expenditure during year on new structures and additions, and on plant, machinery and vehicles acquired for use in connection with actual mineral production. (j) Includes other fuel.

## MINING AND QUARRYING: STATES AND TERRITORIES 1968

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
Number of mines and quarries(a)	1,381	538	743	364	280	168	58	14	3,546
Number of persons employed (a)(b) .. .. .	23,743	3,905	10,344	1,933	7,363	3,276	1,132	78	51,774
Salaries and wages paid(c)(d) .. .. .	92,650	13,514	44,499	5,563	28,112	12,574	5,707	302	202,922
Value of power, fuel and light etc., used(e)(f) .. .. .	11,812	2,814	6,231	1,145	5,427	1,815	725	53	30,022
Value of materials and stores etc., used(e)(f) .. .. .	48,625	7,921	27,387	4,150	20,983	10,436	3,457	219	123,178
Value of production(e)(g) .. .. .	239,436	47,875	152,050	36,285	168,593	32,628	20,635	914	698,477
Value of output(e)(h) .. .. .	300,005	59,026	185,902	42,064	195,316	44,968	24,846	1,195	853,323
Additions and replacements to fixed tangible assets(e)(i) .. .. .	37,397	80,935	22,305	4,130	39,119	8,294	7,756	107	200,043

For footnotes see above table.

## MINE PRODUCTION OF PRINCIPAL MINERALS

State or Territory and Year	Principal metallic contents of minerals produced								
	Copper	Lead	Zinc	Tin	Gold	Silver	Iron(a)	Nickel	Bauxite (b)
	tons	'000 tons	'000 tons	tons	'000 f oz	'000 f oz	'000 tons	tons	'000 tons

## QUARTER ENDED DECEMBER 1970p

New South Wales	3,353	64	73	457	2	2,378	..	..	1
Victoria ..	23	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..
Queensland	34,749	46	33	241	20	4,029	..	..	920
South Australia ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,255	..	..
Western Australia	601	..	..	222	89	30	7,153	10,963	459
Tasmania ..	5,201	3	10	1,334	9	357	381	..	..
Northern Territory	1,400	..	..	7	32	20	191	..	..
Australia ..	45,327	112	116	2,261	154	6,814	8,981	10,963	1,380

## QUARTER ENDED SEPTEMBER 1970p

New South Wales	4,119	76	90	498	3	2,967	..	..	1
Victoria ..	22	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..
Queensland	22,061	36	25	228	17	2,909	..	..	1,009
South Australia ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,199	..	..
Western Australia	695	..	..	177	78	28	7,027	7,130	440
Tasmania ..	6,648	3	11	1,346	11	458	263	..	..
Northern Territory	1,400	..	..	15	29	58	164	..	..
Australia ..	34,945	116	127	2,264	140	6,420	8,653	7,130	1,449

## YEAR 1969-70p(c)

New South Wales	15,195	286	346	1,606	10	11,281	..	..	4
Victoria ..	83	..	..	12	8	..	..	..	1
Queensland	90,918	161	110	1,372	78	12,622	..	..	3,048
South Australia ..	48	..	..	..	1	..	4,677	..	..
Western Australia	2,726	..	..	558	392	138	20,555	17,792	1,237
Tasmania ..	21,334	15	50	5,121	44	1,774	1,418	..	..
Northern Territory	6,653	1	1	57	124	238	644	..	..
Australia ..	136,957	463	507	8,726	657	26,054	27,293	17,792	4,340
Australia—									
1968-69p(c) ..	122,015	392	437	7,411	730	22,490	20,502	6,086	3,207
1968 ..	107,906	383	416	6,537	782	21,394	16,920	4,603	2,633
1967 ..	90,361	376	401	5,586	805	19,842	10,928	2,061	2,258
1966 ..	109,537	365	369	4,807	917	18,888	6,956	..	939
1965 ..	90,388	362	349	3,849	878	17,281	4,297	..	613

(a) Excludes iron content of iron oxide not intended for metal extraction. (b) In terms of alumina  $Al_2O_3$ .  
(c) Data relate to years ended 30 June as from 1968-69.

NOTE. Statistics of mine production for 1969-70 are derived from collections carried out by this Bureau, the Bureau of Mineral Resources, and the various State Mines Departments except where otherwise stated. Statistics for 1968-69 and earlier years are derived from the Annual Mining Census conducted by this Bureau in collaboration with the State Mines Departments.

## MINE PRODUCTION OF PRINCIPAL MINERALS

State or Territory and Year	Principal metallic contents of minerals produced				Manganese ore (e)	Coal		Petroleum (f)	
	Rutile (a)	Ilmenite (a)(b)	Zircon (c)	Tungsten (d)		Black	Brown	Crude oil	Natural gas
	'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 tons	units(g)		'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 bbl	mil. cu ft

## QUARTER ENDED SEPTEMBER 1970p

New South Wales	50	1	38	..	..	9,764	..	..	..
Victoria ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6,629	15,329	7,328
Queensland ..	31	7	15	3,920	..	2,819	..	323	1,890
South Australia ..	..	..	..	..	..	504	..	..	7,675
Western Australia ..	1	106	9	..	53,539	303	..	4,179	110
Tasmania ..	2	..	1	29,736	..	33	..	..	..
Northern Territory ..	..	..	..	530	170,138	..	..	..	..
Australia ..	84	115	64	34,186	223,677	13,424	6,629	19,830	17,002

## QUARTER ENDED DECEMBER 1970p

New South Wales	56	5	42	..	..	8,622	..	..	..
Victoria ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5,074	18,749	6,558
Queensland ..	33	23	17	2,170	..	2,801	..	294	2,173
South Australia ..	..	..	..	..	40	345	..	..	7,111
Western Australia ..	1	107	10	..	25,698	297	..	4,369	150
Tasmania ..	2	..	1	30,474	..	34	..	..	..
Northern Territory ..	..	..	..	454	102,120	..	..	..	..
Australia ..	92	134	70	33,098	127,858	12,099	5,074	23,412	15,992

## YEAR 1969-70p(h)

New South Wales	217	5	145	..	..	34,952	..	..	..
Victoria ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	23,928	13,528	11,956
Queensland ..	124	39	57	17,604	..	9,363	..	1,585	6,326
South Australia ..	..	..	..	..	369	2,121	..	..	8,958
Western Australia ..	2	389	37	..	148,420	1,159	..	15,591	302
Tasmania ..	8	..	5	153,167	..	125	..	..	..
Northern Territory ..	..	..	..	2,224	693,266	..	..	..	..
Australia ..	350	433	243	172,995	842,055	47,721	23,928	30,705	27,541
Australia—									
1968-69p(h) ..	300	366	231	163,111	833,818	42,650	23,128	14,064	2,874
1968 ..	276	303	196	144,552	732,077	40,183	22,971	13,877	216
1967 ..	255	298	188	119,210	559,967	34,707	23,384	7,600	152
1966 ..	235	281	157	130,776	312,540	33,334	21,783	3,390	143
1965 ..	209	239	151	117,672	100,369	31,439	20,659	2,621	143

(a) In terms of titanium dioxide (TiO<sub>2</sub>) contained in concentrates. (b) Includes leucoxene. (c) In terms of zirconium dioxide (Zr O<sub>2</sub>) contained in zircon concentrates. (d) In terms of tungstic oxide (WO<sub>3</sub>) contained in concentrates. (e) Gross quantity. (f) Source: Department of National Development. (g) Units of 22.4 lb. (h) Data relate to years ended 30 June as from 1968-69.

## MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES: AUSTRALIA(a)

NOTE. For preliminary results of the 1968-69 censuses of Mining, Manufacturing, Retail Trade, and Wholesale Trade see pages 35, 159-70.

Year	Factories	Persons employed (b)	Salaries and wages paid (c)	Value of power, fuel, etc., used (d)	Value of materials used (e)	Value of production (f)	Value of output (g)	Value of plant, machinery, land and buildings (h)
			\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
1963-64	59,375	1,209,920	2,651.6	437.2	6,935.5	5,270.0	12,642.7	6,685.5
1964-65	61,042	1,268,955	2,993.7	466.6	7,674.0	5,896.8	14,037.4	7,272.2
1965-66	61,686	1,791,823	3,162.8	487.3	7,950.6	6,251.9	14,689.8	7,931.2
1966-67	62,500	1,509,208	3,407.7	522.3	8,493.5	6,877.0	15,892.8	8,768.0
1967-68	62,954	1,731,147	3,665.9	558.8	9,104.4	7,430.9	17,094.1	9,265.4

(a) Prior to 1 July 1964 excludes Northern Territory and Australian Capital Territory. (b) Average over whole year; includes working proprietors. (c) Excludes amounts drawn by working proprietors. (d) Includes water and lubricating oil. (e) Includes also containers, etc., tools replaced and repairs to plant. (f) Value added in process of manufacture (i.e. value of output less value of materials and fuel used). (g) Value of goods produced, including amounts received for work done. (h) Depreciated or book value at end of year, including estimated value of rented premises and machinery.

## STATES AND TERRITORIES

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
1966-67									
Factories	24,849	18,053	6,013	6,222	5,167	1,771	187	238	62,500
Persons employed (b)	524,054	445,307	117,937	118,220	63,757	34,879	1,423	3,631	1,309,208
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Salaries, wages paid (c)	1,399.7	1,167.4	282.2	299.1	153.6	90.8	4.3	10.5	3,407.7
Value of fuel, etc., used (d)	238.1	134.4	46.9	51.3	30.0	19.8	0.9	0.7	522.3
Value of materials used (e)	3,466.1	2,671.3	982.9	728.1	399.4	223.6	7.2	14.9	8,493.5
Value of production (f)	2,928.2	2,235.3	592.6	563.8	335.8	194.6	7.8	18.9	6,877.0
Value of output (g)	6,632.5	5,041.1	1,622.5	1,343.2	765.2	428.0	16.0	34.5	15,892.8
Value of land and buildings (h)	1,785.2	1,254.5	294.7	293.4	170.3	234.0	6.5	22.8	4,061.2
Value of plant and machinery (h)	1,837.3	1,362.0	601.4	469.0	250.9	169.2	6.8	10.4	4,706.8
1967-68									
Factories	24,884	18,030	6,154	6,255	5,404	1,797	188	242	62,954
Persons employed (b)	531,185	449,945	120,852	121,417	67,335	35,178	1,519	3,716	1,331,147
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Salaries, wages paid (c)	1,498.1	1,244.2	306.0	330.1	175.1	96.2	5.0	11.3	3,665.9
Value of fuel, etc., used (d)	252.6	143.1	51.9	56.2	33.6	19.5	1.2	0.8	558.8
Value of materials used (e)	3,712.9	2,813.4	1,072.5	788.0	465.6	227.6	8.0	16.4	9,104.4
Value of production (f)	3,131.0	2,394.8	657.9	631.9	388.3	198.0	9.7	19.4	7,430.9
Value of output (g)	7,096.5	5,351.3	1,782.3	1,476.1	887.4	445.1	18.8	36.6	17,094.1
Value of land and buildings (h)	1,866.1	1,318.0	315.5	310.0	198.6	263.4	8.2	23.4	4,303.2
Value of plant and machinery (h)	1,962.1	1,367.3	631.2	503.6	296.7	184.7	6.7	10.0	4,962.2

For footnotes see table above.

## Manufacturing Industries—continued

Value of production(a): Australia  
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Class of industry	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68
1 Treatment of non-metalliferous mine and quarry products .. .. .	167,026	168,371	186,660	203,687
2 Bricks, pottery, glass, etc .. .. .	132,077	135,571	146,372	163,388
3 Chemicals, dyes, explosives, paints, oils, grease .. .. .	504,802	542,702	627,647	686,997
4 Industrial metals, machines, conveyances .. .. .	2,486,078	2,647,768	2,912,885	3,163,632
5 Precious metals, jewellery, plate .. .. .	21,777	22,886	24,756	26,355
6 Textiles and textile goods (not dress) .. .. .	279,582	282,753	303,057	315,017
7 Skins and leather (not clothing or footwear) .. .. .	42,150	43,111	44,093	48,031
8 Clothing (except knitted) .. .. .	302,300	318,968	341,502	360,076
9 Food, drink and tobacco .. .. .	757,122	818,329	892,258	937,484
10 Sawmills, joinery, boxes, etc., wood turning and carving .. .. .	231,995	240,785	256,551	271,719
11 Furniture of wood, bedding, etc. .. .. .	84,409	90,606	99,671	105,612
12 Paper, stationery, printing, book-binding, etc. .. .. .	426,925	459,473	503,315	548,973
13 Rubber .. .. .	89,057	90,208	99,469	113,245
14 Musical instruments .. .. .	5,868	6,032	6,899	8,040
15 Miscellaneous products .. .. .	124,344	129,971	158,795	180,211
16 Heat, light and power .. .. .	241,251	254,325	273,072	298,384
Total all classes .. .. .	5,896,754	6,251,861	6,877,001	7,430,853

(a) Value added in process of manufacture (i.e. value of output less value of materials and fuel used).

Average amount of salaries and wages paid per employee(a)  
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Year	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.(b)
1963-64—Males ..	2,618	2,621	2,254	2,457	2,201	2,491	} (n.a.)	{ (n.a.)	2,542
Females ..	1,448	1,432	1,182	1,312	1,163	1,367			
1964-65—Males ..	2,812	2,833	2,476	2,689	2,337	2,644	3,242	3,091	2,746
Females ..	1,537	1,526	1,290	1,372	1,228	1,454	1,799	1,469	1,496
1965-66—Males ..	2,913	2,921	2,600	2,720	2,538	2,730	3,333	3,172	2,843
Females ..	1,623	1,584	1,369	1,420	1,295	1,457	1,904	1,806	1,565
1966-67—Males ..	3,105	3,120	2,725	2,880	2,755	2,939	3,354	3,238	3,028
Females ..	1,708	1,691	1,462	1,502	1,411	1,567	1,972	1,904	1,660
1967-68—Males ..	3,277	3,299	2,888	3,092	2,974	3,085	3,623	3,462	3,206
Females ..	1,798	1,773	1,538	1,592	1,522	1,668	2,051	1,933	1,746

(a) Excludes working proprietors and amounts drawn by them. (b) Prior to 1 July 1964 excludes Northern Territory and Australian Capital Territory.

## Average number of males and females employed(a) over whole year, 1967-68

Sex	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
Males ..	395,838	316,108	98,027	98,929	56,835	28,550	1,380	3,007	998,674
Females ..	135,347	133,837	22,825	22,488	10,500	6,628	139	709	332,473
Masculinity(b) ..	292	236	429	440	541	431	993	424	300

(a) Includes working proprietors. (b) Number of males per 100 females.

## PRODUCTION OF CERTAIN COMMODITIES: AUSTRALIA

Commodity		1965-66	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69p	1969-70p	1970-71p
Beer(a) .. ..	mil. gal	280	294	310	327	342	356
Biscuits .. ..	mil. lb	224	233	233	234	243	250
Blankets .. ..	thousand	1,712	1,724	1,654	1,582	1,699	1,891
Boots, shoes and sandals(b) .. ..	'000 pr	34,949	37,080	38,076	38,391	29,197	..
Bricks, clay .. ..	million	1,360	1,361	1,440	1,612	1,696	1,669
Cement building sheets (asbestos) .. ..	mil. sq yd	32	33	36	38	42	40
Cement, Portland .. ..	'000 tons	3,688	3,661	3,805	4,075	4,439	4,611
Cloth woven, wollen and worsted(c) .. ..	mil. sq yd	23	21	23	23	22	19
Coal—							
black .. ..	'000 tons	32,250	34,226	36,759	42,650	47,721	..
brown .. ..	'000 tons	21,555	22,510	23,064	23,128	23,928	22,814
Confectionery—							
chocolate .. ..	mil. lb	104	105	99	109	104	110
other .. ..	mil. lb	108	112	113	114	122	126
Copper, refined .. ..	'000 tons	92	74	72	95	103	108
Electricity .. ..	mil. kWh	38,279	41,484	44,531	48,901	53,826	46,146
Electric motors .. ..	thousand	2,510	2,667	2,911	3,203	3,359	3,249
Engines, internal combustion(d) .. ..	thousand	245	288	258	293	363	354
Flour, wheaten(e) .. ..	'000 short tons	1,414	1,392	1,418	1,398	1,408	1,447
Fruit, canned or bottled .. ..	mil. lb	580	612	660	512	679	660
Gas(f) .. ..	mil. therms	294	302	312	334	506	801
Gold, refined(g) .. ..	'000 fine oz	774	726	655	622	527	464
Hosiery—							
men's .. ..	'000 doz prs	1,690	1,815	1,910	1,902	1,924	1,859
women's .. ..	'000 doz prs	4,563	4,971	5,600	5,820	6,096	7,313
children's and infants' .. ..	'000 doz prs	903	1,045	1,004	1,097	1,143	1,054
Ice cream .. ..	'000 gal	30,026	34,974	37,423	38,737	41,774	41,873
Iron and steel—							
pig iron(h) .. ..	'000 tons	4,380	4,893	5,209	5,722	5,888	6,141
ingot steel(i) .. ..	'000 tons	5,561	6,114	6,287	(h) 6,599	(h) 6,766	(h) 6,693
Jam .. ..	mil. lb	97	91	84	92	80	85
Lacquers .. ..	'000 gal	1,437	1,427	1,427	1,481	1,446	1,116
Lead, refined(j) .. ..	'000 tons	188	192	187	176	185	152
Malt, all types .. ..	'000 bus.	13,444	14,239	13,776	14,103	14,428	17,404
Margarine—							
table .. ..	'000 lb	53,698	48,356	35,576	34,393	36,709	35,804
other .. ..	'000 lb	67,884	76,138	89,285	97,032	106,357	111,060
Meat, canned .. ..	mil. lb	114	101	107	96	102	120
Motor vehicles—							
Cars and station wagons .. ..	'000	294	296	330	342	394	374
Utilities and panel vans .. ..	'000	49.1	49.3	47.5	51.1	57.7	52.7
Trucks and truck type vehicles .. ..	'000	21.7	22.5	23.0	26.8	27.9	23.9
Newsprint .. ..	'000 tons	93	97	93	124	171	176
Paints, ready mixed and enamels .. ..	'000 gal	15,188	16,037	16,473	16,796	17,768	19,106
Plaster sheets .. ..	'000 sq yd	29,917	30,601	32,809	35,310	39,595	41,100

For footnotes see next page.

## Production of certain commodities: Australia—continued

Commodity			1965-66	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69p	1969-70p	1970-71p
Refrigerators, domestic	thousand		214	232	245	274	247	241
Silver, refined	'000 fine oz.		8,766	9,825	9,597	9,134	10,241	8,323
Slippers(k)	'000 prs		4,609	4,454	4,298	3,972	3,818	..
Soap(l)	'000 cwt		1,659	1,605	1,422	1,349	1,254	1,395
Stoves, cooking(m)—								
electric(n)	thousand		188	193	194	211	221	220
gas(o)	thousand		71	75	73	85	83	82
solid fuel	thousand		21	19	15	13	10	8
Sugar, refined	'000 tons		609	613	614	643	656	669
Sulphate of ammonia	'000 tons		118	110	87	94	114	174
Sulphuric acid (100%)	'000 tons		1,781	1,991	1,892	1,853	1,748	1,586
Superphosphate (in terms of 22% $P_2O_5$ equivalent)	'000 tons		(q) 4,265	(q) 4,430	(q) 3,935	(s) 3,879	3,598	..
Tiles, roofing—								
terracotta	million		51	47	47	50	53	51
concrete	million		83	89	97	116	131	127
Timber, sawn Australian grown(t)	mil. sup ft		1,508	1,461	1,473	1,447	1,483	..
Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes(u)	mil. lb		56	58	59	62	65	67
Vegetables—								
canned or bottled	mil. lb		180	195	182	192	206	196
quick frozen	mil. lb		94	118	101	143	163	125
Wool, scoured, car-								
bonised	mil. lb		156	154	158	156	161	138
Wool tops (pure)	mil. lb		46	45	42	44	42	41
Yarn, woollen and worsted	mil. lb		52	51	53	54	58	62
Zinc, refined	'000 tons		197	197	188	228	258	250

(a) Figures exclude waste heap. (b) Includes all footwear of cemented, vulcanised moulded rubber and injection moulded plastic soled construction. (c) Includes mixture cloths predominantly wool. Excludes blanketing and rug material. (d) Petrol and diesel. Excludes motor car, motor cycle, truck, tractor, aeroplane and marine engines. (e) Includes wheatmeal for baking and atta flour. (f) Available for use through mains. From July 1969 includes natural gas. (g) Newly won gold of Australian origin. (h) Year ended 31 May. (i) Includes recovery from scrap. (j) Includes lead content of lead alloy from primary sources, but excludes lead-silver bullion produced for export. (k) Excludes slippers of cemented, vulcanised moulded rubber and injection moulded plastic construction. (l) Includes all soap and soap based products. (m) Domestic. (n) Excludes portable and cooking tops. (o) Gas stoves and ranges upright or elevated (includes double and triple superphosphate and ammonium phosphate). (p) Excludes ammonium phosphate. (q) Includes double and triple superphosphate and ammonium phosphate expressed in terms of single superphosphate i.e. 22%  $P_2O_5$  equivalent. Source: Department of Primary Industry. (r) Source: Commonwealth Forestry and Timber Bureau and Victorian Forests Commission. (s) From July 1967 as recorded by the Department of Customs and Excise.

## PRIMARY INDUSTRIES

## ESTIMATED NET VALUE OF PRODUCTION(a)

Primary industries (excluding mining)

Depreciation and maintenance costs have not been deducted

(\$ million)

## AUSTRALIA

Industry	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70
Agriculture	857.9	1,209.0	899.4	1,213.2	1,008.7
Pastoral	1,159.5	1,181.8	1,044.4	1,195.0	1,204.4
Dairying	349.9	371.9	371.3	381.2	418.9
Poultry	62.6	69.9	64.2	71.2	84.5
Bee-farming(b)	3.5	3.3	3.8	2.6	4.4
Total rural	2,433.4	2,836.0	2,383.1	2,863.2	2,721.0
Forestry(b)	111.0	108.9	110.0	111.8	118.9
Fishing(b)	41.7	44.6	54.0	58.6	58.1
Hunting(b)	13.8	11.9	10.5	10.6	11.2
Total forestry, fishing and hunting	166.6	165.5	174.5	181.0	188.3
Total primary (excluding mining)	2,600.0	3,001.4	2,557.7	3,044.1	2,909.3

## STATES, 1969-70

Industry	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'd	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	AUSE.(c)
Agriculture	312.7	232.4	219.9	133.5	84.2	24.7	1,008.7
Pastoral	373.0	307.7	230.1	117.3	132.6	24.2	1,204.4
Dairying	120.0	187.3	50.7	28.2	9.9	22.4	418.9
Poultry	39.6	25.4	7.9	3.8	4.7	2.7	84.5
Bee-farming(b)	1.6	0.8	0.3	0.9	0.6	0.1	4.4
Total rural	846.8	753.7	508.9	283.7	231.9	74.2	2,721.0
Forestry(b)	36.8	29.7	13.1	10.5	12.8	15.6	118.9
Fishing(b)	11.5	5.0	7.6	7.2	19.5	3.3	58.1
Hunting(b)	4.1	2.9	2.2	0.9	0.8	0.3	11.2
Total forestry, fishing and hunting	52.4	37.5	22.9	18.6	33.1	19.2	188.3
Total primary (excluding mining)	899.3	791.2	531.8	302.3	265.0	93.4	(d)2,909.3

(a) Includes amounts paid as bounty, relief, etc.

(b) Local value.

(c) Includes Northern Territory and

(d) Includes Northern Territory \$23.2m and Australian Capital Territory \$3.0m.

## INDEXES OF QUANTUM(a) OF FARM PRODUCTION

(Base: Average 3 years 1936-37 to 1938-39 = 100)

Year	Agriculture	Pastoral	Farmyard and dairying	All farming	Wool (shorn and dead)	Products other than wool
1965-66	184	163	138	166	169	165
1966-67	265	167	145	199	187	205
1967-68	189	174	141	175	180	173
1968-69	292	186	143	215	199	219
1969-70	242	199	155	207	208	206

(a) Indexes of value at constant prices, i.e., quantities revalued at average unit values of base years (1936-37 to 1938-39).

## ESTIMATED QUANTITY OF CERTAIN FOODSTUFFS AND BEVERAGES AVAILABLE FOR CONSUMPTION ANNUALLY PER HEAD OF POPULATION: AUSTRALIA

	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70
<b>Milk and milk products—</b>					
Fluid whole milk .. .. . gal	28.7	28.2	28.3	28.3	28.2
Condensed, powdered, etc.(a) .. lb	25.2	26.0	25.2	25.3	25.5
Cheese .. .. . lb	7.9	7.8	7.5	7.9	8.1
<b>Meat—</b>					
Beef and veal (carcass weight) .. lb	92.6	85.2	89.7	90.1	85.2
Mutton (carcass weight) .. lb	46.0	41.3	41.7	42.1	37.3
Lamb (carcass weight) .. lb	36.8	42.5	43.2	47.7	45.4
Pigmeat (carcass weight) .. lb	13.3	13.4	14.6	16.1	16.6
Offal (carcass weight) .. lb	11.5	11.0	11.4	11.2	11.4
Canned meat (canned weight) .. lb	4.5	5.2	4.8	4.9	5.1
Bacon and ham (cured carcass weight) .. lb	7.6	8.1	7.7	7.8	8.3
<b>Fats and oils—</b>					
Butter .. .. . lb	21.8	21.8	21.6	21.3	20.5
Margarine—Table and other .. lb	10.4	10.6	10.3	11.2	11.3
<b>Sugar and syrups—</b>					
Refined sugar—					
As sugar .. .. . lb	49.9	46.3	47.8	45.1	45.1
In manufactured products .. lb	60.7	61.5	58.9	62.5	63.4
Honey, glucose and syrups (sugar content) .. .. . lb	6.9	7.1	7.5		
<b>Pulse and nuts (edible weight)</b> .. lb	11.0	11.8	11.0		
<b>Fruit—</b>					
Citrus fruit(b) .. .. . lb	41.8	48.7	46.4	53.4	53.4
Other fresh fruit (b) .. .. . lb	88.1	79.8	87.7	98.5	81.8
Jams .. .. . lb	7.6	7.3	7.4	7.3	6.7
Dried fruit .. .. . lb	4.7	5.6	5.1	5.3	5.0
Canned fruit .. .. . lb	20.5	20.5	23.9	21.0	21.8
Potatoes, white (b) .. .. . lb	111.7	109.9	110.4	134.3	122.3
<b>Grain products—</b>					
Flour (including wheatmeal for baking and sharps) .. .. . lb	172.9	172.4	169.0	169.7	169.9
Breakfast foods .. .. . lb	15.3	14.2	15.1	15.5	13.9
<b>Beverages—</b>					
Tea .. .. . lb	5.5	5.2	5.1	5.1	4.9
Coffee(c) .. .. . lb	2.2	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.8
Beer .. .. . gal	24.2	24.9	25.7	26.4	27.1
Wine .. .. . gal	1.3	1.5	1.7	1.8	2.0
Spirits .. .. . pf gal	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4

(a) Includes powdered buttermilk and mixed skim and buttermilk. (b) Includes fresh equivalent of manufactured products. (c) Coffee and coffee products in terms of processed whole or ground pure coffee.

## SECTION IV. BUILDING

## NUMBER OF NEW HOUSES AND FLATS(a)

Period	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Abn.
APPROVED									
Year—									
1966-67	42,321	34,608	16,921	8,482	11,447	3,445	900	2,811	120,937
1967-68	47,409	38,500	16,311	7,719	15,119	3,734	1,336	2,000	132,128
1968-69	54,558	38,399	16,787	10,377	20,671	3,132	1,340	3,197	148,461
1969-70	54,959	40,369	17,920	12,506	20,637	3,436	2,534	3,570	155,931
1970-71	49,773	34,350	20,819	13,914	13,718	3,191	1,370	3,891	141,026
Quarter ended—									
December 1969	14,380	11,160	4,486	3,449	5,463	833	1,183	812	41,766
March 1970	12,482	8,215	4,402	2,974	4,865	710	294	876	34,818
June 1970	13,191	9,993	4,151	3,264	3,650	966	557	1,076	36,848
September 1970	12,370	9,117	5,210	3,457	3,528	872	170	1,111	35,835
December 1970	13,495	9,277	5,085	3,454	3,438	863	344	919	36,875
March 1971	11,215	7,195	5,070	3,194	3,277	774	436	1,136	32,297
June 1971	12,693	8,761	5,454	3,809	3,475	682	420	725	36,019
COMMENCED									
Year—									
1966-67	38,973	33,077	15,968	9,693	10,994	3,138	874	2,399	115,116
1967-68	40,571	36,307	16,285	8,313	14,644	3,509	1,068	2,417	123,117
1968-69	48,786	37,697	16,766	9,312	19,214	2,944	1,411	3,172	139,302
1969-70	51,704	38,080	16,904	11,466	18,838	3,323	1,200	3,464	144,979
1970-71p	48,305	34,897	19,084	13,030	13,804	3,286	1,294	3,971	137,671
Quarter ended—									
December 1969	12,865	9,800	4,105	2,857	5,125	687	329	725	36,493
March 1970	12,924	9,143	4,320	2,778	4,539	787	302	1,110	35,903
June 1970	12,308	8,805	4,115	2,970	3,820	707	298	909	33,932
September 1970	11,274	9,667	4,392	3,280	3,708	977	386	1,071	34,755
December 1970	12,278	8,614	4,215	3,563	3,512	853	224	901	34,160
March 1971p	12,072	8,252	4,965	3,212	3,608	768	346	1,125	34,348
June 1971p	12,681	8,364	5,512	2,975	2,976	688	338	874	34,408
COMPLETED									
Year—									
1966-67	36,867	32,264	16,295	10,836	10,014	2,950	484	2,182	111,892
1967-68	41,378	34,278	16,279	8,817	12,250	3,623	910	2,635	120,170
1968-69	45,156	36,506	17,131	8,695	16,331	3,070	1,209	2,589	130,687
1969-70	48,451	38,694	17,135	10,161	19,529	3,363	1,425	3,452	142,212
1970-71p	49,351	36,856	17,836	12,275	16,948	2,925	1,109	3,498	140,798
Quarter ended—									
December 1969	12,976	10,916	4,449	2,774	5,406	1,059	407	816	38,823
March 1970	11,196	8,112	3,801	2,238	4,606	581	341	887	31,762
June 1970	12,440	9,771	4,429	2,778	4,829	816	367	927	36,757
September 1970	12,882	9,852	4,247	2,803	4,786	690	166	894	36,320
December 1970	13,193	10,070	4,412	3,594	5,055	748	433	900	38,405
March 1971p	11,201	8,287	4,190	2,808	3,731	600	363	815	31,995
June 1971p	12,075	8,647	4,987	3,070	3,376	887	147	889	34,07
UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT END OF PERIOD									
Year—									
1966-67	20,933	17,646	4,817	4,462	5,113	1,908	861	1,457	57,197
1967-68	20,129	19,627	4,823	3,949	7,492	1,792	1,019	1,239	60,070
1968-69	23,759	20,448	4,458	4,521	10,341	1,618	1,221	1,814	68,180
1969-70	26,147	19,359	4,227	5,749	9,581	1,547	941	1,825	69,376
1970-71p	24,355	17,126	5,471	6,513	6,308	1,869	1,116	2,260	65,018
Quarter ended—									
December 1969	25,195	19,539	4,022	5,024	10,790	1,457	1,092	1,629	68,658
March 1970	26,842	20,488	4,541	5,568	10,606	1,625	1,021	1,852	72,543
June 1970	26,147	19,359	4,227	5,749	9,581	1,547	941	1,825	69,376
September 1970	24,362	19,141	4,369	6,221	8,445	1,822	1,160	2,002	67,522
December 1970	21,208	17,494	4,172	6,214	6,870	1,924	952	2,003	62,817
March 1971p	23,911	17,430	4,946	6,608	6,708	2,074	925	2,291	64,893
June 1971p	24,355	17,126	5,471	6,513	6,308	1,869	1,116	2,260	65,018

(a) The numbers of flats included relate to individual living units.

## TOTAL NEW BUILDINGS: VALUE

(\$'000)

Period	N.S.W. (a)	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
APPROVED									
1966-67(b)	597,416	494,050	219,283	116,623	162,937	53,955	17,604	60,594	1,722,463
1967-68	689,070	518,339	268,894	148,672	240,792	72,018	28,488	44,168	2,008,441
1968-69	802,479	560,671	266,056	145,872	305,594	52,289	28,048	71,256	2,232,265
1969-70	975,091	684,134	306,010	189,052	380,681	59,539	68,434	103,384	2,766,325
1970-71	1,018,005	625,908	373,568	209,354	307,680	68,043	51,265	102,266	2,756,089
Quarter ended—									
March 1970	219,060	164,477	74,714	35,323	100,911	12,249	9,536	21,575	657,913
June 1970	298,809	164,149	83,226	50,902	89,186	14,910	15,444	31,839	748,465
September 1970	260,150	143,919	83,703	60,957	74,125	16,967	6,223	22,319	668,361
December 1970	266,332	160,103	103,561	40,387	85,538	14,863	13,567	27,683	712,036
March 1971	220,528	159,374	94,100	52,832	74,528	21,654	11,433	31,696	666,145
June 1971	270,033	162,510	92,204	54,178	73,489	14,559	20,042	20,568	708,583

COMMENCED									
Year—									
1965-66	558,427	450,737	225,553	145,997	130,982	43,789	15,405	49,935	1,620,815
1966-67(b)	604,641	509,892	231,776	130,268	169,457	62,077	17,807	54,762	1,780,680
1967-68	689,372	504,864	280,536	129,004	242,305	63,152	25,696	54,869	1,989,798
1968-69	793,388	575,904	268,821	150,145	297,684	56,200	29,901	65,015	2,237,148
1969-70	975,115	674,588	283,734	181,999	361,594	62,131	44,025	98,638	2,681,874
Quarter ended—									
December 1969	212,397	161,042	66,356	42,613	83,917	11,336	15,079	29,894	622,634
March 1970	284,280	171,385	70,269	61,109	83,304	17,408	13,040	31,508	722,303
June 1970	236,420	182,281	78,405	42,511	100,833	13,224	9,432	25,434	688,540
September 1970	230,455	155,729	90,753	54,312	78,959	18,402	20,462	25,533	674,105
December 1970	318,829	189,969	106,002	53,029	81,744	18,477	8,668	22,032	801,750
March 1971	265,488	159,062	94,198	55,538	78,908	19,111	15,364	40,942	728,611

COMPLETED									
Year—									
1965-66	583,236	415,375	209,306	160,301	130,178	39,680	12,065	57,566	1,607,707
1966-67(b)	625,956	471,943	219,098	135,221	162,135	48,218	13,241	57,582	1,733,396
1967-68	638,958	497,370	256,974	138,531	195,403	61,885	20,295	56,268	1,865,648
1968-69	721,504	578,126	271,264	156,712	254,833	56,948	25,976	71,348	2,136,661
1969-70	808,202	629,109	311,079	147,638	303,396	66,452	43,406	73,036	2,311,118
Quarter ended—									
December 1969	209,548	172,241	79,855	44,692	84,671	16,116	10,153	18,860	636,134
March 1970	190,084	130,496	67,846	32,211	73,602	19,090	14,151	21,382	545,256
June 1970	224,365	170,761	92,349	40,544	74,698	14,987	10,812	19,740	648,456
September 1970	245,453	155,122	106,100	41,847	98,534	17,084	6,111	18,898	689,149
December 1970	329,337	203,982	75,381	66,285	100,557	15,485	11,093	21,405	723,525
March 1971	329,677	159,096	68,799	50,070	83,280	11,931	8,513	21,405	612,771

## UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT END OF PERIOD

1965-66	473,627	369,747	133,544	120,662	90,982	37,412	14,816	59,615	1,300,405
1966-67(b)	460,701	422,577	150,432	118,940	100,119	51,269	19,811	59,141	1,382,990
1967-68	521,357	443,905	176,917	112,556	148,846	52,506	25,205	60,476	1,541,548
1968-69	604,977	451,906	177,913	108,939	194,278	51,896	29,121	54,550	1,673,180
1969-70	792,249	514,808	154,994	145,486	256,541	51,022	29,668	82,615	2,027,385
Quarter ended—									
December 1969	673,850	457,161	163,718	113,234	218,616	50,775	31,994	76,545	1,785,893
March 1970	770,888	500,226	167,605	143,166	229,240	52,573	30,780	76,620	1,971,098
June 1970	792,249	514,808	154,994	145,486	256,541	51,022	29,668	82,615	2,027,385
September 1970	779,698	517,064	141,971	163,644	237,411	52,399	44,493	89,802	2,026,382
December 1970	875,185	469,830	173,744	154,172	220,438	55,992	41,902	90,732	2,112,595
March 1971	911,176	521,664	200,829	161,328	216,382	63,371	48,997	110,787	2,234,454

(a) Up to 30 June 1966, major alterations and additions are excluded from 'Approvals', but included in 'Commenced', 'Completed' and 'Under construction at end of period'. (b) From 1 July 1966, alterations and/or additions of \$10,000 and over are included with new buildings in all States.

## VALUE OF WORK DONE ON NEW BUILDINGS

(\$'000)

Period	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
Year—									
1965-66	614,477	442,402	221,780	156,762	133,483	43,201	13,749	35,308	1,681,162
1966-67(a)	597,044	487,403	231,768	143,587	163,728	53,098	16,635	52,163	1,745,424
1967-68	619,226	525,790	235,345	137,506	212,437	60,038	22,570	61,515	1,914,347
1968-69	762,546	580,374	287,304	144,297	270,012	58,783	27,746	63,886	2,195,350
1969-70	905,973	645,477	306,270	165,540	342,942	68,428	43,557	78,486	2,556,673
Quarter ended—									
December 1969	222,262	169,424	78,271	40,842	85,890	18,085	16,321	18,378	649,473
March 1970	220,359	151,068	68,357	40,227	81,801	16,661	8,597	18,600	605,670
June 1970	242,151	162,847	81,341	45,073	89,720	16,491	9,948	22,945	670,516
September 1970	242,751	169,386	83,856	57,307	97,054	16,019	10,314	23,498	700,165
December 1970	267,908	170,841	87,543	53,295	91,097	16,547	11,695	25,760	724,686
March 1971	251,862	158,434	81,480	47,513	77,798	14,589	11,901	20,314	663,891

(a) See footnotes (a) and (b) on previous page

## NUMBER OF NEW HOUSES AND FLATS COMPLETED

Type of building	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	Nine months ended March—	
					1970	1971
Houses—						
Brick, brick veneer, concrete and stone	54,116	57,506	64,696	71,816	53,479	53,857
Wood (weatherboard, etc.)	11,294	11,633	10,554	9,967	7,557	6,140
Asbestos-cement	15,581	15,820	15,525	14,919	11,116	10,311
Other	969	797	771	822	651	623
Total	81,960	85,756	91,546	97,524	72,803	70,931
Flats(a)	29,932	34,414	39,141	44,688	32,652	35,789
Total houses and flats	111,892	120,170	130,687	142,212	105,455	106,720

(a) Individual living units.

## VALUE OF NEW BUILDINGS COMPLETED

(\$'000)

Type of building	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	Nine months ended March—	
					1970	1971
Houses	734,896	803,864	914,871	1,040,543	770,685	813,916
Flats	179,891	218,894	267,262	338,884	245,872	286,293
Hotels, hostels, etc.	51,145	47,898	55,454	73,897	58,501	57,745
Shops	76,462	60,239	77,321	85,984	60,192	75,375
Factories	164,588	162,186	190,520	196,661	139,210	156,344
Offices	144,245	169,841	158,191	157,232	110,543	198,712
Other business premises	76,136	73,416	98,823	118,171	73,157	127,837
Education	128,492	144,998	161,402	161,256	117,861	127,898
Religion	14,124	13,145	16,132	11,828	9,415	9,467
Health	51,106	49,703	56,200	71,347	57,773	64,908
Entertainment and recreation	42,309	33,942	41,924	44,451	34,617	34,009
Miscellaneous	70,002	87,561	98,561	82,070	56,040	72,947
Total	1,733,396	1,865,684	2,136,661	2,382,318	1,733,862	2,025,445

**VALUE OF NEW BUILDINGS COMPLETED: STATES, ETC.,  
NINE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 1971  
(\$'000)**

Type of building	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
Houses ..	263,379	205,922	109,101	62,954	113,865	17,920	9,427	31,348	813,916
Flats ..	138,741	67,406	16,520	19,812	35,067	3,011	3,315	2,421	286,293
Hotels, hostels, etc. . .	11,836	14,982	8,888	3,838	13,283	1,526	1,356	2,036	57,745
Shops ..	28,234	14,543	8,221	13,463	7,441	1,543	760	1,170	75,375
Factories ..	60,228	49,255	14,677	8,002	13,167	6,550	3,496	969	156,344
Offices ..	51,935	54,989	40,130	11,635	25,526	2,663	1,586	10,248	198,712
Other business premises ..	55,460	27,684	14,744	8,494	15,811	2,642	1,191	1,811	127,837
Education ..	36,696	26,378	20,134	13,527	17,333	3,072	2,967	7,791	127,898
Religion ..	3,501	2,780	888	793	968	280	91	166	9,467
Health ..	15,501	19,808	6,131	7,137	14,922	1,309	45	55	64,908
Entertainment and recreation	14,752	7,911	3,083	1,283	5,086	1,086	388	420	34,009
Miscellaneous ..	24,203	6,542	7,765	7,265	19,903	2,898	1,098	3,273	72,947
<b>Total ..</b>	<b>704,466</b>	<b>498,200</b>	<b>250,280</b>	<b>158,202</b>	<b>282,371</b>	<b>44,500</b>	<b>23,717</b>	<b>61,708</b>	<b>2,025,445</b>

## SECTION V. CAPITAL EXPENDITURE BY PRIVATE BUSINESSES

These statistics are designed primarily to measure trends in expenditure by private businesses on fixed tangible assets. The statistics are based on returns obtained from private businesses subject to pay-roll tax (other than businesses in rural, professional, gas and electricity industries), from government banks and airlines, and from other businesses not subject to pay-roll tax which undertake projects of more than \$500,000 in any half year. For statistics of capital expenditure by all private businesses, see the series 'Gross fixed capital expenditure' on page 95 of this publication.

### NEW CAPITAL EXPENDITURE, BY INDUSTRY

(\$ million)

Period	Manufacturing									Non-manufacturing				All industries
	Extracting, re-fining, founding	Engineering (a)	Vehicles (b)	Chemicals (c)	Textiles and clothing	Food, drink and tobacco	Paper and printing	Other manufacturing (d)	Total manufacturing	Wholesale and retail trade	Mining	Transport (e)	Other non-manufacturing (f)	
<b>Year</b>														
1964-65	118.5	108.5	92.5	127.0	32.1	140.7	55.2	96.3	770.8	221.7	106.5	126.8	212.4	1,438.2
1965-66	174.6	121.8	79.9	148.9	41.0	146.9	60.5	111.3	884.9	253.2	217.1	130.7	272.3	1,758.2
1966-67	184.0	128.4	42.3	126.7	34.2	136.9	68.7	108.9	830.1	246.4	242.8	129.5	248.4	1,697.2
1967-68	165.6	119.6	53.6	129.5	30.4	146.6	78.2	107.6	831.1	252.8	375.3	171.6	291.0	1,871.8
1968-69	146.0	145.4	52.4	149.0	42.6	130.6	71.6	124.7	862.3	297.0	435.0	158.7	338.6	2,091.6
1969-70	185.2	162.7	55.6	139.4	60.2	140.6	75.8	148.7	968.2	351.7	533.2	195.7	375.3	2,424.1
1970-71 p	300.1	157.1	79.9	115.2	52.4	149.0	93.6	152.2	1,099.5	367.0	783.0	245.2	523.1	3,017.8
<b>Quarter ended—</b>														
1969-70—														
Sept.	40.2	40.3	13.9	34.5	12.3	34.8	18.5	29.0	223.5	82.6	122.7	45.7	85.2	359.7
Dec.	46.9	40.8	14.0	36.9	16.2	41.4	18.4	43.0	257.6	103.1	134.1	50.6	99.7	645.1
March	39.6	33.1	12.0	34.1	14.6	27.5	17.8	35.0	213.7	66.2	107.5	56.9	81.3	527.6
June	58.5	48.5	15.7	33.9	17.1	36.9	21.1	41.7	273.4	99.8	168.9	42.5	107.1	691.7
1970-71—														
Sept.	59.2	38.6	16.0	33.3	11.7	32.3	17.2	35.3	243.6	92.1	150.7	56.6	116.9	659.9
Dec.	76.5	38.7	27.7	35.9	13.6	39.0	28.2	37.2	296.8	102.5	203.6	60.0	136.3	799.2
March	74.4	31.5	17.5	20.5	12.6	35.3	21.5	41.7	257.2	77.1	187.8	51.9	121.5	695.5
June p	89.8	46.3	18.7	25.5	14.5	42.4	26.7	38.0	301.9	95.3	240.9	76.7	148.4	863.2

### NEW CAPITAL EXPENDITURE, BY TYPE OF ASSET

(\$ million)

Period	New buildings and structures (g)	Other new capital equipment (h)	Total new capital expenditure
<b>Year—</b>			
1964-65	465.7	972.5	1,438.2
1965-66	580.8	1,177.4	1,758.2
1966-67	560.5	1,136.7	1,697.2
1967-68	674.7	1,197.1	1,871.8
1968-69	816.2	1,275.4	2,091.6
1969-70	931.6	1,492.5	2,424.1
1970-71 p	1,199.4	1,818.4	3,017.8
<b>Quarter ended—</b>			
1969-70—			
December	263.3	381.8	645.1
March	179.1	348.5	527.6
June	269.2	422.5	691.7
1970-71—			
September	254.6	405.3	659.9
December	316.9	482.3	799.2
March	274.7	420.8	695.5
June p	351.2	510.0	861.2

(a) Engineering, metalworking, electrical equipment. (b) Vehicles, aircraft and ships, parts and accessories. Includes assembly and repairs. (c) Chemicals, fertilizers, paints, explosives, cosmetics and oil refining. (d) Saw-milling, furniture, plastics, leather, rubber, etc. (e) Road, rail and air transport (including government airlines), shipping and stevedoring. (f) Buildings, construction, banking (including government banks), insurance, other finance and property, amusement, hotels, cafes, personal services etc. (g) Includes assets such as buildings, wharves, replace and harbour construction, roads and also lifts, heating and ventilation equipment and the like forming an integral part of the structure. (h) Includes all machinery and equipment including vehicles, aircraft and ships, and such items as new motor, lathes, office equipment and fixtures.

# SECTION VI. TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION

## OVERSEAS SHIPPING: ENTRANCES AND CLEARANCES, AUSTRALIA

Year	Entrances				Clearances			
	With cargo		With cargo and in ballast		With cargo		With cargo and in ballast	
	No. of vessels	'000 net tons	No. of vessels	'000 net tons	No. of vessels	'000 net tons	No. of vessels	'000 net tons
1965-66 .. ..	2,703	16,952	3,929	23,042	3,015	15,369	4,029	23,340
1966-67 .. ..	2,705	18,069	3,977	27,444	3,330	19,278	4,017	27,618
1967-68 .. ..	2,591	18,024	3,972	30,109	3,334	21,501	4,005	30,215
1968-69 .. ..	2,764	19,592	4,390	36,419	3,667	27,169	4,360	36,159
1969-70 .. ..	2,745	20,043	4,969	44,485	4,417	35,920	5,053	44,573

## OVERSEAS AND INTERSTATE TONNAGE OF CARGO DISCHARGED AND SHIPPED (<sup>1</sup>000 tons)

Part of the cargo is recorded in tons weight and part in tons measurement. As the total cannot be stated accurately as either tons weight or tons measurement, each is recorded, and published separately. <sup>1</sup> ton measurement equals 40 cubic feet.

State or Territory and year	Discharged				Shipped			
	Interstate		Overseas		Interstate		Overseas	
	Tons weight	Tons measurement	Tons weight	Tons measurement	Tons weight	Tons measurement	Tons weight	Tons measurement

### TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 1969

New South Wales ..	9,541	110	9,610	2,085	3,915	153	14,400	597
Victoria .. ..	2,561	793	8,724	1,969	1,331	868	2,057	663
Queensland .. ..	604	33	3,102	382	929	32	11,256	145
South Australia ..	2,292	30	2,604	408	6,163	9	3,377	152
Western Australia ..	1,312	165	4,761	293	5,211	61	21,149	263
Tasmania .. ..	1,725	961	243	47	805	807	1,593	233
Northern Territory ..	121	49	254	28	157	2	1,125	2
Australia .. ..	18,158	2,161	29,298	5,212	18,511	1,932	54,956	2,054

### TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUN<sup>1</sup> 1970

New South Wales ..	11,080	76	8,977	2,126	3,836	161	17,015	644
Victoria .. ..	2,788	929	8,390	2,086	2,138	1,020	3,402	839
Queensland .. ..	921	24	3,071	320	1,183	16	13,116	170
South Australia ..	2,440	26	2,569	271	7,196	7	4,582	165
Western Australia ..	1,262	20	4,582	301	5,088	20	34,701	217
Tasmania .. ..	1,656	1,093	322	45	920	801	2,545	92
Northern Territory ..	162	78	290	10	113	3	1,488	..
Australia .. ..	20,308	2,248	28,201	5,159	20,473	2,030	76,849	2,127
Australia—								
1968-69 .. ..	18,158	2,161	29,298	5,212	18,511	1,932	54,956	2,054
1967-68 .. ..	16,980	2,079	27,572	4,684	17,207	1,876	41,339	2,102
1966-67 .. ..	15,565	1,900	27,109	4,152	15,692	1,728	32,691	1,943
1965-66 .. ..	15,349	1,942	24,156	4,119	16,172	1,483	21,749	2,043
1964-65 .. ..	15,447	1,722	23,211	4,443	16,360	1,402	20,424	1,980

## OVERSEAS SHIPPING CARGO

Cargo discharged in Australia from overseas: major trade areas, by type of service, twelve months ended June 1970  
(Tons)

State or Territory	North America and Hawaii		South America		Europe (including U.S.S.R.)		Africa		Asia		Papua and New Guinea; New Zealand and Pacific islands		Indian Ocean Islands and Antarctic area		Total	
	Wt	Meas.	Wt	Meas.	Wt	Meas.	Wt	Meas.	Wt	Meas.	Wt	Meas.	Wt	Meas.	Wt	Meas.
LINER SERVICES(a)																
New South Wales	165,411	267,548	5,419	2,270	318,508	763,893	63,247	18,786	205,226	558,330	199,834	123,991	..	..	937,645	1,734,818
Victoria	103,484	256,359	3,934	825	168,872	800,942	27,744	26,333	147,235	580,199	44,637	135,040	..	..	495,906	1,800,298
Queensland	33,175	46,828	3,378	13	38,775	58,375	11,008	329	54,982	113,785	12,269	34,752	..	..	151,587	254,082
South Australia	18,603	21,763	..	19	30,111	65,982	3,413	6,091	40,734	78,872	15,368	7,077	..	..	108,229	179,804
Western Australia	65,828	23,608	26	43	38,079	110,416	8,755	4,744	68,757	130,869	9,966	4,067	..	..	191,411	273,747
Tasmania	19,554	450	..	..	28,809	11,741	5,554	62	4,878	11,871	36,211	18,099	..	..	95,006	42,223
Northern Territory	117	1,428	..	..	..	..	..	..	6,481	6,834	..	..	..	..	6,598	8,262
Australia	406,172	618,584	12,757	3,170	623,154	1,811,349	119,721	56,345	528,293	1,480,760	318,285	323,026	..	..	2,008,382	4,293,234
TRAMPS, BULKSHIPS, TANKERS																
New South Wales	366,616	179,491	14,312	..	30,672	77,933	9,904	..	7,099,776	129,721	388,674	4,432	109,338	10	8,019,292	391,587
Victoria	463,393	105,622	..	..	24,005	86,303	49,216	..	6,611,920	91,548	534,770	1,297	210,886	443	7,894,190	285,213
Queensland	153,833	17,516	4,859	..	30,755	9,909	39,114	..	2,565,050	35,409	104,149	2,821	19,455	..	2,917,215	65,655
South Australia	68,218	68,598	..	..	2,866	10,916	..	..	1,956,861	12,147	289,872	3	142,626	21	2,460,443	91,685
Western Australia	247,869	2,699	200	..	46,211	8,824	..	..	3,385,194	14,766	433,322	5	278,238	1,159	4,391,034	27,423
Tasmania	58,525	1,963	..	..	15,877	930	7,983	..	53,131	..	61,259	..	30,293	..	227,068	2,893
Northern Territory	3,000	..	..	..	100	385	..	..	279,010	1,138	693	..	500	..	283,303	1,523
Australia	1,361,454	375,889	19,371	..	150,486	195,200	106,217	..	21,950,942	284,699	1,812,739	8,558	791,336	1,633	26,192,545	865,979
ALL VESSELS																
New South Wales	532,027	447,039	19,731	2,270	349,180	841,826	73,151	18,786	7,305,002	68,051	588,508	128,423	109,338	10	8,976,937	2,126,405
Victoria	566,877	362,581	3,934	825	192,877	887,245	76,960	26,333	6,759,155	671,747	579,407	136,377	210,886	443	8,390,096	2,085,511
Queensland	187,008	64,344	8,237	13	69,530	68,284	50,122	329	2,620,032	149,194	116,418	37,573	19,455	..	3,070,802	319,737
South Australia	86,821	90,361	..	19	12,977	76,898	3,413	6,091	1,997,595	91,019	305,240	7,080	142,626	21	2,568,672	271,489
Western Australia	313,697	26,307	226	43	84,290	119,240	8,755	4,744	3,453,951	145,605	443,388	4,072	278,238	1,159	4,582,445	301,174
Tasmania	78,079	2,413	..	..	44,686	12,671	13,537	62	58,009	11,871	97,470	18,099	30,293	..	222,074	45,116
Northern Territory	3,117	1,428	..	..	100	385	..	..	285,491	7,972	693	..	500	..	289,901	9,785
Australia	1,767,626	994,473	32,128	3,170	773,640	2,006,549	225,938	56,345	22,479,235	1,765,459	2,131,024	331,584	791,336	1,633	28,200,927	5,159,213

(a) Includes cargo and passenger liners.

**Overseas shipping cargo—continued**  
**Cargo loaded in Australia for discharge overseas: major trade areas, by type of service, twelve months ended June 1970**  
 (Tons)

State or Territory	North America and Hawaii		South America		Europe (includes U.S.S.R.)		Africa		Asia		Papua and New Guinea; New Zealand and Pacific islands		Indian Ocean islands and Antarctic area		Total	
	Wt.	Meas.	Wt.	Meas.	Wt.	Meas.	Wt.	Meas.	Wt.	Meas.	Wt.	Meas.	Wt.	Meas.	Wt.	Meas.
<b>LINER SERVICES(a)</b>																
New South Wales	170,314	17,291	34,911	1,546	348,356	75,773	94,382	20,528	551,159	153,891	437,389	329,823	..	..	1,636,413	618,852
Victoria	172,564	57,660	12,314	2,794	302,443	290,411	53,443	55,148	465,292	240,725	63,727	180,353	..	..	1,089,783	827,091
Queensland	183,325	14,497	3,150	1,185	328,882	8,543	16,463	2,660	310,681	20,160	45,129	97,872	..	..	887,630	144,917
South Australia	33,941	7,397	14	..	122,878	40,073	55,854	8,794	335,481	37,949	146,014	49,219	20	398	694,162	143,432
Western Australia	41,333	2,279	..	28	139,096	50,175	11,357	10,779	622,119	80,167	8,695	5,827	..	..	822,620	149,651
Tasmania	42,370	3,688	..	..	121,037	44,237	6,007	1,305	93,838	..	7,299	2,438	..	..	270,551	88,895
Northern Territory	5,427	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	10,146	214	..	..	..	..	15,617	220
<b>Australia</b>	<b>649,274</b>	<b>122,818</b>	<b>50,391</b>	<b>5,553</b>	<b>1,362,592</b>	<b>509,212</b>	<b>237,550</b>	<b>99,214</b>	<b>2,408,716</b>	<b>570,333</b>	<b>708,253</b>	<b>665,532</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>398</b>	<b>5,416,796</b>	<b>1,973,060</b>
<b>TRAMPS, BULKSHIPS, TANKERS</b>																
New South Wales	340,441	1,486	405,259	..	2,047,366	..	231,381	..	11,970,301	375	483,238	21,494	163	1,742	15,378,151	25,097
Victoria	..	..	24	23	164,412	339	81,769	..	1,765,770	567	206,698	9,234	3,580	1,695	2,312,253	11,857
Queensland	1,626,370	..	21,823	..	1,879,667	..	14,237	..	8,587,291	..	99,044	25,165	..	..	2,12,228,422	25,167
South Australia	104,761	..	..	..	556,389	..	40,054	15,268	3,108,910	5,658	77,290	921	..	..	15,388,740	21,862
Western Australia	1,181,583	..	..	..	4,242,488	7,202	2,970	..	28,371,652	55,162	57,669	1,802	22,498	..	2,743,878,860	66,909
Tasmania	11,042	..	..	..	110,109	3,106	..	..	2,150,385	..	..	..	8	..	27,274,404	3,133
Northern Territory	76,154	..	..	..	99,123	..	..	..	1,297,174	233	..	..	..	..	1,472,451	233
<b>Australia</b>	<b>3,240,351</b>	<b>1,486</b>	<b>427,106</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>9,099,554</b>	<b>10,647</b>	<b>370,403</b>	<b>15,288</b>	<b>57,251,483</b>	<b>61,995</b>	<b>1,016,799</b>	<b>58,616</b>	<b>26,249</b>	<b>6,224</b>	<b>71,431,945</b>	<b>154,258</b>
<b>ALL VESSELS</b>																
New South Wales	410,755	38,777	440,172	1,546	2,395,622	75,773	325,765	20,528	12,521,460	154,266	920,627	351,317	163	1,742	17,014,564	643,949
Victoria	172,564	57,660	12,338	2,816	466,855	290,750	135,212	55,148	2,251,062	241,292	160,425	189,587	3,580	1,695	3,042,036	838,948
Queensland	1,809,695	14,497	24,973	1,185	2,208,549	8,543	30,690	2,660	8,897,972	20,160	144,173	123,037	..	..	2,13,116,052	170,084
South Australia	138,702	7,397	14	..	679,267	40,073	95,908	24,062	3,444,391	43,607	223,304	50,140	..	..	15,458,158	165,294
Western Australia	1,222,916	2,279	..	28	4,381,584	57,377	14,327	10,779	28,993,771	135,329	66,364	7,629	22,518	..	3,141,347,010	216,562
Tasmania	53,412	3,688	..	..	231,146	47,343	6,007	1,305	2,244,223	37,227	10,159	2,438	8	..	27,254,955	92,028
Northern Territory	81,581	6	..	..	99,123	..	44	..	1,307,320	447	..	..	..	..	1,488,068	453
<b>Australia</b>	<b>3,889,625</b>	<b>121,304</b>	<b>477,497</b>	<b>5,575</b>	<b>10,462,146</b>	<b>519,859</b>	<b>607,953</b>	<b>114,482</b>	<b>59,660,199</b>	<b>632,328</b>	<b>1,725,052</b>	<b>724,148</b>	<b>26,269</b>	<b>6,622</b>	<b>76,848,741</b>	<b>2,127,318</b>

(a) Includes cargo and passenger liners.

## TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION

## OVERSEAS SHIPPING CARGO

Overseas Cargo Discharged and Loaded in Australia by Type of Service

('000 tons)

Period	Liner services(a)		Tramps, bulkships tankers		All vessels	
	Tons weight	Tons measurement	Tons weight	Tons measurement	Tons weight	Tons measurement
CARGO DISCHARGED						
1968-69 .. ..	1,929	4,064	27,369	1,150	29,298	5,214
Quarter ended—						
1968-69—						
June .. ..	468	942	6,742	293	7,210	1,235
1969-70—						
September .. ..	531	1,091	6,851	289	7,382	1,380
December .. ..	485	1,119	7,142	189	7,627	1,308
March .. ..	523	1,042	6,368	140	6,891	1,182
June .. ..	469	1,041	5,831	248	6,300	1,288
CARGO LOADED						
1968-69 .. ..	4,508	1,763	50,448	291	54,956	2,054
Quarter ended—						
1968-69—						
June .. ..	1,226	538	14,734	157	15,960	695
1969-70—						
September .. ..	1,326	451	16,860	36	18,185	488
December .. ..	1,378	469	17,212	45	18,590	514
March .. ..	1,266	395	17,497	42	18,762	437
June .. ..	1,447	657	19,863	31	21,311	689

(a) Includes cargo and passenger liners.

INTERSTATE, NEW ZEALAND AND ISLANDS SHIPPING FREIGHT RATES:  
GENERAL CARGO 30 JUNE 1971

(As quoted)

(Per ton weight or measurement: 1 ton measurement = 40 cubic feet)  
(Australian dollars and cents unless otherwise indicated)

To—	From—					
	Brisbane	Sydney	Melbourne		Adelaide	Fremantle
	Direct	Direct	Direct	Trans-shipped at Sydney	Direct	Direct
Brisbane .. ..	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Sydney .. ..	..	(a)	30.00	..	..	(b) 35.85
Melbourne .. ..	(a)	..	15.40	..	..	(b) 34.40
Adelaide .. ..	26.00	15.40	..	..	(a)	(b) 30.65
Fremantle .. ..	(a)	(a)	12.50	..	..	..
Hobart .. ..	(b) 39.60	(b) 38.05	(b) 33.20	..	(b) 27.70	..
Launceston .. ..	..	..	25.97	..	..	..
Devonport, Burnie .. ..	..	22.40	18.85	..	..	..
Darwin .. ..	..	22.40	17.74	..	..	..
New Hebrides—Vila and Santo .. ..	41.80	44.10	46.00	..	..	(b) 25.85
Norfolk Island .. ..	37.10	37.10	..	..	..	..
Papua—	30.00	30.00	..	..	..	..
Port Moresby .. ..	28.80	28.80	30.00	..	30.00	..
Samurai .. ..	28.80	28.80	30.00	..	30.00	..
New Guinea—						
Lae and Madang .. ..	29.90	29.90	31.20	..	31.20	..
Rahaul .. ..	29.90	29.90	31.20	..	31.20	..
Auckland(c) .. ..	30.79	29.22	29.22	..	..	..
Wellington(d) .. ..	30.79	29.22	29.22	..	..	..
Lyttelton(e) .. ..	30.79	29.22	29.22	..	..	..
Dunedin(f) .. ..	30.79	29.22	29.22	..	..	..

(a) Rates on a ton weight or measure basis not available. (b) Rates include port charges at each end. (c) Rates expressed in New Zealand currency. (d) Plus Wellington Harbour improvement charges at \$NZ 0.225 per ton weight or measurement.

NOTE: Cargo carried on roll-on roll-off vessels between the mainland and Tasmania is charged at a rate per foot of deck space occupied which varies according to the height of the load.

# OVERSEAS SHIPPING FREIGHT RATES FROM AUSTRALIA TO VARIOUS COUNTRIES AT 30 JUNE 1971(a)

(1 ton measurement = 40 cubic feet)

Country and commodity	Unit for which freight rate is quoted	Freight rate as quoted
<b>CANADA EAST COAST AND ST LAWRENCE PORTS TO MONTREAL—</b>		Canadian Dollars
Fruit—		
Canned .. .. .	Ton measurement	44.00
Dried .. .. .	Ton measurement	41.40
Preserved .. .. .	Ton measurement	56.20
General cargo .. .. .	Ton wt or meas.	65.00
<b>CANADA WEST COAST—See U.S.A. WEST COAST AND HAWAII.</b>		
<b>CHINA, REPUBLIC OF (TAIWAN), CHINA (MAINLAND), HONG KONG, JAPAN (MAIN PORTS)(b), PHILIPPINES (CEBU AND MANILA)—</b>		U.S. Dollars
Aluminium ingots (ex Bell Bay) .. .. .	Ton weight ..	24.00(c)
Butter, refrigerated .. .. .	100 lb box ..	4.81
Cheese, refrigerated .. .. .	100 lb carton ..	3.04
Copper blister and slabs .. .. .	Ton weight ..	26.50
Cotton seed, bulk .. .. .	Ton weight ..	18.10(d)
Fruit—		
Canned (cases or cartons) .. .. .	Ton wt or meas.	31.80
Dried (cases or cartons) .. .. .	Ton wt or meas.	28.90
Ilmenite and rutile, in bags .. .. .	Ton weight ..	22.40
Meat, refrigerated—		
Mutton carcasses .. .. .	100 lb ..	4.71
Other .. .. .	100 lb ..	6.02
Milk powdered .. .. .	Ton wt or meas.	35.40
Scrap metal—		
Drums (4 cwt or over) .. .. .	Ton weight ..	26.80
Loose or bundles .. .. .	Ton weight ..	34.70
Wool, greasy (Japan) .. .. .	100 lb ..	3.00
General cargo .. .. .	Ton wt or meas.	39.70
<b>CONTINENTAL EUROPE—See United Kingdom.</b>		
<b>HAWAII—See U.S.A. West Coast.</b>		
<b>INDIA—</b>		Australian Dollars
Milk products (cases, cartons) .. .. .	Ton measurement	34.31
Wheat, in bags .. .. .	Ton weight ..	25.85
Wool, dumped—		
Greasy .. .. .	100 lb ..	4.437
Scoured .. .. .	100 lb ..	5.686
Zinc bars—		
Below 750 tons .. .. .	Ton weight ..	20.75
750 and up to 1,000 tons .. .. .	Ton weight ..	20.34
Over 1,000 tons .. .. .	Ton weight ..	19.55
General cargo .. .. .	Ton wt or meas.	40.29
<b>INDONESIA—</b>		(e) (f)
Flour, wheat .. .. .	2,000 lb ..	20.65 19.65
General cargo .. .. .	Ton wt or meas.	31.80 29.80
<b>NEW ZEALAND(g)—</b>		N.Z. Dollars
Copper, iron or steel—		
Bars, rods, pipes, tubes, plates and sheets (bundles) .. .. .	Ton wt or meas.	29.22
Lead and zinc oxides .. .. .	Ton weight ..	27.99
Motor vehicles, assembled .. .. .	Ton measurement	18.81
General cargo .. .. .	Ton wt or meas.	29.22

(a) Excludes rates for commodities shipped in chartered vessels and bulkships. (b) Nagasaki, Kure, Moji, Kobe, Osaka, Nagoya, Yokkaichi, Shimizu, Yokohama. (c) Free in. (d) Loaded and trimmed at no cost to shipping company. (e) From ports in eastern Australia. (f) From ports in Western Australia. (g) From Melbourne, Sydney, Newcastle and Port Kembla to New Zealand main ports, except Bluff, which is an additional \$NZ0.62 per ton.

## Overseas shipping freight rates from Australia to various countries at 30 June 1971(a)—continued

(1 ton measurement = 40 cubic feet)

Country and commodity	Unit for which freight rate is quoted	Freight rate as quoted
<b>PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA—</b>		<b>Australian Dollars</b>
Iron and steel—		(b) (c)
Pipes and tubes (including fittings)	Ton weight	28.80 29.90
Sheet, galvanised (flat or corrugated)	Ton weight	24.20 25.39
Wire and wire mesh	Ton measurement	24.70 28.90
Meat, canned	Ton measurement	28.80 29.90
Portland cement	Ton weight	17.30 18.40
Rice, in bags	Ton weight	26.70 28.20
Sugar, in bags	Ton weight	25.00 26.20
Wheat flour	2,000 lb	26.70 28.20
General cargo	Ton wt or meas	28.80 29.90
<b>SINGAPORE AND WEST MALAYSIA—</b>		(d) (e)
Butter	100 lb	4.25 4.00
Fruit, fresh (refrigerated)—		
Apples and pears	Pack (1.85 cu ft and under)	1.74 1.64
Oranges	Bushel case	1.64 1.54
Hardboard wallboard	Ton wt or meas.	20.65 19.65
Iron and steel—		
Black plate tin mill and secondaries	Ton weight	23.70 22.70
Sheet (galvanised, black, flat, corrugated)	Ton weight	20.65
Milk—		
Condensed	Ton measurement	29.70 28.70
Powdered in bags	Ton weight	36.95 35.95
Mutton carcasses and sides (refrigerated)	100 lb	4.25 4.00
Tractors	Ton wt or meas.	26.70 24.70
Wheat flour, plain (in bags)	2,000 lb	20.00 19.00
General cargo	Ton wt or meas.	31.80 29.80
<b>SOUTH AFRICA(f)—</b>		
Butter	56 lb box	1.89
Beef—		
Carcasses, also sundries in bags	Ton wt or meas.	46.75
Sundries, in cases, cartons or crates	Ton wt or meas.	46.75
Cattle hides, wet salted	100 lb	2.57
Inedible tallow—		
Bulk	Ton weight	21.70
In casks or drums	Ton weight	39.05
Malt, in bags or drums	Ton weight	34.60
Motor cars, passenger	Ton wt or meas.	32.70
Motor vehicle components and parts	Ton wt or meas.	36.55
Timber (in lengths)—		
Railway or tramway sleepers (up to 30 ft)	50 cu ft load	42.85
Sawn jarrah (up to 40 ft)	50 cu ft load	44.50
Wool, greasy—		
Dumped	100 lb gross	4.75
Undumped	100 lb gross	6.56
Zinc ingots	Ton weight	22.50
General cargo	Ton wt or meas.	36.55
<b>UNITED KINGDOM AND CONTINENTAL EUROPE—</b>		<b>U.S. Dollars</b>
Butter	56 lb carton	2.001
Cheese, in crates	Ton weight	58.48
Eggs, in shell	Ton measurement	58.75
Fruit—		
Fresh apples and pears	Standard bushel	
	case	2.327
Dried	Ton measurement	29.69
Canned	Ton measurement	29.69

(a) Excludes rates for commodities shipped in chartered vessels and bulkships. (b) From Sydney and Brisbane to Port Moresby and Samarai. (c) From Sydney and Brisbane to Lae, Madang and Rabaul. (d) From ports in eastern Australia. (e) From ports in Western Australia. (f) Congestion surcharge of 13 per cent to all South African ports as from 1 June 1971.

Overseas shipping freight rates from Australia to various countries at 30 June 1971(a)—continued  
(1 ton measurement = 40 cubic feet)

Country and commodity	Unit for which freight rate is quoted	Freight rate as quoted
UNITED KINGDOM AND CONTINENTAL EUROPE—continued		U.S. Dollars
Grains—cereal—		
Barley, in bags .. .. .	Ton weight ..	20.70
Rice .. .. .	Ton weight ..	28.08
Wheat, in bags .. .. .	Ton weight ..	20.32
Meat, canned .. .. .	Ton measurement	37.46
Meat, frozen—		
Beef (boneless) and mutton cuts .. .. .	Ton measurement	65.59
Rabbit .. .. .	Ton measurement	48.43
Mineral sands—		
Ilmenite, in bags .. .. .	Ton weight ..	19.53
Rutile, in bags .. .. .	Ton weight ..	22.74
Non-ferrous metal ingots—		
Copper .. .. .	Ton weight ..	22.80
Lead and zinc .. .. .	Ton weight ..	20.70
Steel ingots, lengths up to 20 ft .. .. .	Ton wt or meas.	25.01
Wool, dumped—		
Greasy .. .. .	100 lb ..	5.22
Scoured and washed .. .. .	100 lb ..	7.23
General cargo .. .. .	Ton wt or meas.	68.08
U.S.A. ATLANTIC AND GULF PORTS—		
Casein .. .. .	Ton weight ..	61.10
Fish, preserved by cold process—		
Cartons .. .. .	100 lb ..	5.85
Loose .. .. .	Ton measurement	107.35
Lead ores and concentrates .. .. .	Ton weight ..	37.70
Meat, preserved by cold process—		
Beef and mutton, in cartons .. .. .	100 lb ..	4.91
Beef quarters, etc. .. .. .	100 lb ..	5.50
Mutton carcasses .. .. .	100 lb ..	5.91
Mineral sand—		
Ilmenite and zircon .. .. .	Ton weight ..	29.90
Leucoxene and rutile .. .. .	Ton weight ..	33.70
Pipes and tubes, iron or steel (up to 40 ft long) .. .. .	Ton wt or meas.	42.90
Wool—		
Greasy .. .. .	100 lb ..	6.86
Scoured, etc. .. .. .	100 lb ..	8.21
General cargo .. .. .	Ton wt or meas.	65.00
U.S.A. AND CANADIAN WEST COAST AND HAWAII—		
Beef, lamb and mutton, in cartons .. .. .	100 lb (net) ..	4.91
Canned meat .. .. .	Ton measurement	35.50
Casein .. .. .	Ton weight ..	55.60
Copper bars (ex Townsville) .. .. .	Ton weight ..	22.00
Fruit—		
Canned .. .. .	Ton measurement	35.50
Dried .. .. .	Ton measurement	39.80
Iron and steel—		
Pipes and tubes, in cases .. .. .	Ton wt or meas.	39.00
Plates and sheets .. .. .	Ton weight ..	37.10
Wire, in coils .. .. .	Ton weight ..	32.60
Lead ingots, loose (ex Pt Pirie) .. .. .	Ton weight ..	27.20
Mineral sand, in bags or drums .. .. .	Ton weight ..	30.70
Wine .. .. .	Ton measurement	54.90
Wool, greasy .. .. .	100 lb ..	6.24
General cargo .. .. .	Ton wt or meas.	59.10

(a) Excludes rates for commodities shipped in chartered vessels and bulkships.

## GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS

The Commonwealth System shown includes combined details of four separate railways, namely, Trans-Australian Railway, Central Australia Railway, North Australia Railway and the Australian Capital Territory Railway.

System	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	Six months ended December	
						1969	1970

## ROUTE-MILEAGE OPEN AT END OF PERIOD

New South Wales	6,055	6,055	6,061	6,061	6,061	6,061	6,061
Victoria	4,188	4,231	4,216	4,176	4,166	4,166	4,166
Queensland	5,785	5,730	5,825	5,824	5,813	5,824	5,814
South Australia	2,478	2,480	2,481	2,460	2,444	2,477	2,449
Western Australia	3,747	3,815	3,815	3,826	3,828	3,826	3,828
Tasmania	500	500	500	500	500	500	500
Commonwealth	2,252	2,248	2,248	2,248	2,248	2,248	2,248
Australia	25,005	25,059	25,146	25,095	25,060	25,102	25,066

REVENUE TRAIN-MILES  
(<sup>000</sup>)

New South Wales	37,694	37,638	38,535	38,201	39,128	20,034	20,354
Victoria	20,145	20,035	19,885	19,689	20,543	10,376	10,496
Queensland	17,640	16,876	16,831	17,109	18,263	9,716	9,023
South Australia	6,492	6,584	6,418	6,176	6,192	3,138	3,199
Western Australia	8,043	8,316	8,372	7,901	7,848	3,832	3,895
Tasmania	1,283	1,275	1,247	1,197	1,180	599	493
Commonwealth	2,955	2,958	3,206	3,559	3,963	1,926	2,056
Australia	94,252	93,682	94,494	93,832	97,119	49,621	49,515

PASSENGER-JOURNEYS(a)  
(<sup>000</sup>)

New South Wales	257,568	255,284	253,313	248,469	251,578	124,933	126,678
Victoria	149,125	146,268	146,268	144,866	144,309	69,638	68,094
Queensland	25,979	26,372	26,591	28,165	28,515	14,291	14,515
South Australia	15,511	15,432	15,242	14,423	13,990	6,459	6,389
Western Australia	10,168	9,811	9,970	10,170	10,580	5,305	5,534
Tasmania	1,304	1,197	1,087	1,045	907	501	418
Commonwealth	342	371	347	298	244	129	131
Australia	459,997	454,735	452,818	447,437	450,122	221,256	221,759

REVENUE GOODS AND LIVESTOCK CARRIED(a)  
(<sup>000</sup> tons)

New South Wales	27,004	29,275	30,745	31,871	33,442	17,183	16,690
Victoria	12,156	12,075	11,116	11,316	11,835	5,727	6,108
Queensland	10,049	10,185	11,133	12,975	14,439	8,009	8,701
South Australia	4,789	4,876	4,368	5,003	5,888	3,022	3,133
Western Australia	6,384	7,873	8,910	8,934	10,665	5,307	6,181
Tasmania	1,072	1,079	1,162	1,242	1,258	662	602
Commonwealth	2,976	3,121	3,627	4,401	4,824	2,521	2,324
Australia	64,430	68,484	71,061	75,742	82,351	42,431	43,740

(a) Intersystem traffic is included in the total for each system over which it passes. For this purpose each Commonwealth railway is regarded as a separate system.

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## Government railways—continued

System	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	Six months ended December	
						1969	1970

REVENUE NET TON-MILES  
(Million)

New South Wales	4,281.8	4,554.8	4,844.1	4,942.4	5,384.3	2,731.0	2,834.6
Victoria	1,989.5	1,937.4	1,776.2	1,903.0	2,037.2	996.3	1,019.8
Queensland	2,002.0	2,003.6	2,201.3	2,617.5	3,110.2	1,663.3	1,736.5
South Australia	749.3	739.4	680.9	803.7	947.6	469.4	513.8
Western Australia	1,020.8	1,244.1	1,571.7	1,525.8	1,749.1	862.1	1,032.7
Tasmania	113.4	118.2	117.2	117.2	119.5	66.3	60.2
Commonwealth	881.4	919.2	1,072.3	1,216.3	1,312.5	687.4	665.3
Australia	11,038.2	11,516.7	12,263.7	13,125.9	14,660.5	7,475.8	7,862.8

GROSS EARNINGS(a)  
(\$'000)

New South Wales	195,336	213,335	224,966	238,560	247,288	124,972	127,759
Victoria	99,519	104,477	99,301	100,502	105,045	52,213	53,608
Queensland	84,178	87,864	94,018	102,452	108,831	59,305	58,467
South Australia	28,947	30,220	28,046	30,300	33,340	17,291	18,227
Western Australia	42,571	48,008	51,628	49,364	56,044	27,697	29,861
Tasmania	5,985	6,588	6,587	6,947	6,920	3,607	2,941
Commonwealth	18,091	19,428	22,233	25,371	27,649	14,374	15,040
Australia	474,627	509,920	526,779	543,496	585,116	299,459	305,903

WORKING EXPENSES  
(\$'000)

New South Wales	179,792	184,992	194,939	205,164	217,660	103,842	113,083
Victoria	101,006	103,423	105,084	111,216	118,558	57,984	61,413
Queensland	84,126	84,295	87,435	91,427	96,530	47,962	51,561
South Australia	32,388	33,962	34,610	36,154	39,040	19,063	21,316
Western Australia	39,730	44,513	47,745	49,947	54,992	23,597	25,451
Tasmania	7,547	8,325	8,751	9,089	9,031	4,114	4,427
Commonwealth	17,316	19,411	21,308	24,614	27,156	13,165	14,800
Australia	461,905	478,921	499,872	527,611	562,967	269,726	292,051

NET EARNINGS  
(\$'000)

New South Wales	15,544	28,343	30,027	23,396	29,628	21,130	14,676
Victoria	-1,486	1,054	-5,784	-10,714	-13,513	-5,771	-7,805
Queensland	52	3,569	6,583	11,025	12,301	11,343	6,905
South Australia	-3,441	-3,742	-6,564	-5,854	-5,699	-1,772	-3,089
Western Australia	2,841	3,496	3,883	-583	1,051	4,100	4,410
Tasmania	-1,561	-1,737	-2,164	-2,142	-2,111	-508	-1,486
Commonwealth	775	17	925	757	493	1,209	239
Australia	12,724	31,000	26,906	15,885	22,150	29,732	13,852

(a) Excludes Government grants.  
Minus sign (-) denotes loss.

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## Government railways—continued

GROSS EARNINGS(a)  
(\$'000)

System	Coaching (passengers, parcels, mails, etc.)	Goods, including livestock and minerals	Miscellaneous	Total
SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 1969				
New South Wales	34,222	90,602	148	124,972
Victoria	17,935	30,668	3,610	52,213
Queensland	5,194	52,908	1,202	59,305
South Australia(b)	2,322	13,710	1,259	17,291
Western Australia	2,432	23,527	1,739	27,697
Tasmania	202	3,273	132	3,607
Commonwealth	1,817	11,699	858	14,374
Australia(c)	64,125	226,387	8,947	299,459

## SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 1970

New South Wales	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	127,759
Victoria	17,745	32,171	3,692	53,608
Queensland	5,122	52,161	1,184	58,467
South Australia(b)	2,378	14,603	1,247	18,227
Western Australia	2,651	25,069	2,141	29,861
Tasmania	204	2,630	107	2,941
Commonwealth	1,896	12,125	1,019	15,040
Australia(c)	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	305,903

(a) Excludes Government grants. (b) Includes road motors. (c) Includes South Australian road motors.

REVENUE GOODS AND LIVESTOCK CARRIED  
('000 tons)

System	Livestock	Coal and coke	Other minerals	Other goods	Total
SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 1969					
New South Wales	144	7,905	1,577	7,559	17,184
Victoria	159	641	103	4,824	5,727
Queensland	386	3,518	653	3,451	8,009
South Australia	86	4	899	2,033	3,022
Western Australia	52	46	2,737	2,472	5,307
Tasmania	6	53	15	588	662
Commonwealth	85	1,146	619	670	2,521
Australia	918	13,313	6,602	21,598	42,431

## SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 1970

New South Wales	112	7,223	1,692	7,662	16,690
Victoria	125	601	86	5,297	6,108
Queensland	242	4,125	861	3,473	8,701
South Australia	88	(a)	924	2,122	3,133
Western Australia	37	86	3,718	2,340	6,181
Tasmania	5	50	15	532	602
Commonwealth	86	851	611	775	2,324
Australia	696	12,937	7,907	22,200	43,740

(a) Included with 'other minerals.'

## GOVERNMENT AND MUNICIPAL TRAMWAYS, TROLLEY-BUSES AND OMNIBUSES

## Mileages

State and year	Route-miles open at 30 June			Vehicle-miles		
	Tramway	Trolley-bus	Omnibus	Tramway	Trolley-bus	Omnibus
1969-70—				'000	'000	'000
New South Wales .. ..	..	..	612	..	..	44,574
Victoria .. ..	156	..	139	16,074	..	6,923
Queensland .. ..	..	..	387	..	..	14,769
South Australia .. ..	7	..	163	419	..	10,239
Western Australia .. ..	..	(a)	(a)5,533	..	(a) 66	(a)23,205
Tasmania .. ..	..	..	223	..	..	5,430
Northern Territory .. ..	..	..	56	..	..	680
Australian Capital Territory ..	..	..	85	..	..	3,120
Australia .. ..	163	(a)	(a)7,198	16,492	(a) 66	(a)108,940
Australia—						
1968-69 .. ..	163	9	6,362	20,038	1,018	102,049
1967-68 .. ..	222	64	6,794	22,813	2,038	99,357
1966-67 .. ..	222	65	6,329	23,310	2,594	98,511
1965-66 .. ..	222	65	6,533	23,878	2,891	96,430
1964-65 .. ..	222	65	6,460	24,552	(b) 2,269	(b)95,932

(a) Trolley-buses in Western Australia were replaced by omnibuses in August 1969.

(b) Particulars of Western Australian trolley-bus services included with omnibus.

## Operations

State and year	Passenger-journeys			Gross revenue(a)	Working expenses(b)
	Tramway	Trolley-bus	Omnibus		
1969-70—	'000	'000	'000	\$'000	\$'000
New South Wales .. ..	..	..	235,980	2,252	36,188
Victoria .. ..	113,594	..	22,353	20,579	20,327
Queensland .. ..	..	..	73,349	8,342	8,439
South Australia .. ..	1,703	..	41,642	6,696	6,293
Western Australia .. ..	..	(c) 276	(c)56,634	9,025	9,555
Tasmania .. ..	..	..	20,707	2,332	3,237
Northern Territory .. ..	..	..	1,218	340	448
Australian Capital Territory ..	..	..	7,701	976	1,443
Australia .. ..	115,297	(c) 276	(c)459,583	80,542	85,929
Australia—					
1968-69 .. ..	149,055	4,000	437,036	79,288	84,649
1967-68 .. ..	179,280	6,822	422,997	72,847	79,199
1966-67 .. ..	186,346	7,632	427,422	72,362	77,078
1965-66 .. ..	203,179	5,979	444,036	66,700	73,444
1964-65 .. ..	218,086	6,779	459,745	65,110	70,519

(a) Excludes Government grants.

(b) Includes depreciation.

(c) See footnote (a) above.

# MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVERS' AND RIDERS' LICENCES AND TAXES ON OWNERSHIP AND OPERATION OF MOTOR VEHICLES

State or Territory and year	Net Collections—All Authorities							
	Drivers' and riders' licences at 30 June	Motor vehicle registration fees and taxes	Drivers', etc., licences and fees	Stamp duty (vehicle registrations)	Road transport taxes	Road maintenance contribution	Third party insurance surcharge and duties	Total
1969-70 ..	'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
New South Wales	2,034	46,895	8,551	4,718	5,590	15,872	..	81,626
Victoria	1,502	48,832	3,442	6,688	1,887	8,555	2,735	72,139
Queensland	n.a.	23,372	1,536	3,078	6,967	4,754	..	39,707
South Australia	523	13,389	1,107	2,378	41	2,839	937	20,691
Western Australia	431	13,282	1,562	1,978	918	3,624	816	22,179
Tasmania	166	5,116	545	363	443	..	222	6,689
Northern Territory	37	(a)586	(a)	..	..	..	..	586
Australian Capital Territory	82	830	81	..	..	..	..	911
Australia ..	(b)4,777	(a)152,302	(a)16,824	19,203	15,846	35,644	4,710	244,528
Australia—								
1969-70 ..	(b)4,777	(a)152,302	(a)16,824	19,203	15,846	35,644	4,710	244,528
1968-69 ..	(b)4,521	(a)143,169	(a)16,238	16,707	14,450	32,705	4,051	227,319
1967-68 ..	(b)4,260	130,063	14,930	14,768	13,651	28,929	3,472	205,813
1966-67 ..	(c)4,086	120,628	14,436	11,576	12,062	26,339	3,314	188,354
1965-66 ..	(c)3,879	111,574	13,659	10,525	11,118	22,851	3,132	172,858
1964-65 ..	(c)3,775	99,040	11,595	7,895	11,302	20,625	2,815	153,272

(a) Northern Territory drivers', etc., licence revenue included with motor vehicle registration fees and taxes.  
 (b) Excludes Queensland (c) Excludes Queensland and the Northern Territory.

## REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES

Defence service vehicles are excluded from registrations

State or Territory and year	Motor cars	Station wagons	Ambulances and hearse	Utili- ties	Panel vans	Trucks	Other truck- types	Omnibuses	Motor cycles	Total
SIX MONTHS ENDED JUNE 1971(p)										
New South Wales	67,358	9,780	74	5,991	4,951	3,784	227	448	9,442	102,055
Victoria	45,401	6,987	41	3,331	1,889	3,247	207	270	4,865	66,238
Queensland	20,899	3,651	50	3,663	1,022	3,093(a)	6	83	3,253	35,120
South Australia	15,832	2,026	29	1,230	661	926	61	143	2,093	23,001
Western Australia	15,544	2,844	22	2,534	1,282	1,400	56	99	1,460	25,241
Tasmania	4,986	601	8	503	284	350	11	49	379	7,171
Northern Territory	793	325	1	564	77	176	7	15	461	2,419
Australian Capital Territory	2,825	418	..	180	234	106	12	47	427	4,249
Australia ..	173,638	26,632	225	17,396	10,400	13,082	587	1,154	22,380	265,494
Total—										
1970p ..	358,181	54,880	426	35,881	19,275	29,476	1,289	2,100	12,701	534,299
1969 ..	343,275	57,604	355	36,510	17,266	29,700	1,467	2,041	25,386	513,544
1968 ..	310,267	58,569	393	34,734	16,318	26,705	970	1,745	22,187	472,588
1967 ..	275,594	59,947	329	34,726	15,546	24,590	871	1,470	17,396	430,379

(a) In Queensland most 'other truck-types' are classified as trucks.

## MOTOR VEHICLES ON REGISTER(a)

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
MOTOR CARS(b) AND STATION WAGONS									
31 December—									
1962(c)	828,693	681,025	286,599	238,905	165,637	75,697	5,579	17,999	2,300,134
1966	1,087,490	877,679	410,583	310,969	231,916	99,947	9,722	32,272	3,060,578
1967	1,154,916	923,500	435,453	322,951	251,731	104,652	11,051	36,231	3,241,485
1968	1,223,371	980,244	461,449	338,527	276,031	111,163	13,031	40,990	3,444,806
1969	1,307,315	1,037,190	490,821	359,478	304,092	116,785	14,805	45,755	3,676,241
1970	1,383,978	1,098,140	518,954	378,099	328,300	122,790	16,421	51,806	3,898,488

## UTILITIES, PANEL VANS, TRUCKS(d), OMNIBUSES

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
31 December—									
1962(c)	279,113	208,688	145,813	82,463	75,531	27,275	4,767	3,694	827,344
1966	293,448	220,327	156,838	86,733	86,554	31,184	6,023	5,311	888,418
1967	299,964	221,787	157,912	86,310	90,862	31,908	6,816	5,659	901,218
1968	307,786	225,028	160,306	86,559	95,098	33,218	7,595	6,115	921,705
1969	317,440	229,060	164,874	88,490	100,381	34,210	8,484	6,648	949,587
1970	325,282	233,563	169,227	89,356	102,800	34,753	9,248	7,269	977,498

## MOTOR CYCLES

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
31 December—									
1962(c)	20,398	15,802	13,963	6,717	12,257	2,101	325	296	81,859
1966	21,026	11,811	12,637	12,707	8,857	1,562	466	547	68,913
1967	27,743	13,601	13,838	12,509	9,268	1,833	596	805	80,193
1968	36,385	17,042	15,916	12,993	9,987	2,501	805	1,111	96,740
1969	45,246	19,881	18,531	13,468	10,779	2,948	1,073	1,539	113,684
1970	55,035	24,847	22,722	14,851	12,200	3,281	1,395	2,129	136,460

## TOTAL

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
31 December—									
1962(c)	1,128,204	905,515	446,375	338,085	253,425	105,073	10,671	21,989	3,209,137
1966	1,401,964	1,109,817	580,058	409,709	327,327	132,693	16,211	38,130	4,017,909
1967	1,482,623	1,158,888	607,203	422,770	351,861	138,393	18,463	42,695	4,222,896
1968	1,567,542	1,222,314	637,671	438,079	381,116	146,882	21,431	48,216	4,463,251
1969	1,670,001	1,286,131	674,226	461,436	415,471	153,943	24,362	53,942	4,739,512
1970	1,764,295	1,356,550	710,903	482,306	443,300	160,824	27,064	61,204	5,006,446

(a) All figures for periods after December 1962 are compiled from data supplied by the various registration authorities and are subject to revision. (b) Includes ambulances and hearses. (c) Motor vehicle census figures. (d) Includes other truck-types.

## ROAD TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS INVOLVING CASUALTIES(a)

TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 1970

State or Territory	Number of accidents	Persons killed	Persons injured	Per 100,000 of mean population			Per 10,000 motor vehicles registered(b)		
				Number of accidents	Persons killed	Persons injured	Number of accidents	Persons killed	Persons injured
New South Wales	25,434	1,309	34,886	556	29	762	148	8	203
Victoria	16,435	1,061	23,737	476	31	688	124	8	180
Queensland	7,869	537	10,940	437	30	607	114	8	158
South Australia	7,424	349	10,484	636	30	899	157	7	222
Western Australia	5,218	351	7,373	530	36	749	122	8	172
Tasmania	1,425	118	2,171	362	30	552	91	8	138
Northern Territory	528	42	714	734	58	993	205	16	278
Australian Capital Territory	877	31	1,249	656	23	934	152	5	217
Australia	65,210	3,798	91,554	518	30	728	134	8	188
Total—1969	62,597	3,502	87,864	509	28	714	136	8	191

(a) Accidents known to the police which occurred in public thoroughfares and which resulted in death within thirty days or in bodily injury to an extent requiring surgical or medical treatment. (b) Average number of motor vehicles on register.

## TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION

## CIVIL AVIATION

Australian registrations, licences, aerodromes, etc.

	30 June—				31 December—	
	1967	1968	1969	1970	1969	1970
Registered aircraft owners	1,685	1,845	1,951	2,177	2,053	2,241
Registered aircraft	2,970	3,356	3,559	3,729	3,658	3,823
Pilots' licences—						
Private	7,828	9,282	10,204	11,210	10,847	11,539
Helicopter	10	10	14	15	18	12
Student	9,921	10,130	10,401	9,728	9,723	9,810
Helicopter	123	100	111	116	105	114
Commercial	2,162	2,570	3,158	3,350	3,375	3,410
Helicopter	136	164	199	249	231	292
Airline transport	1,657	1,713	1,696	1,737	1,706	1,838
Flight navigators' licences	222	211	188	160	163	156
Radio operators' licences	13,176	15,058	16,345	17,613	17,082	18,090
Flight engineers' licences	563	539	568	498	539	509
Aircraft maintenance engineers' licences	2,954	3,278	3,508	3,719	3,586	3,857
Aerodromes—(a)						
Government(b)	107	107	108	104	105	116
Licensed	377	381	383	385	379	576
Flying boat bases and alighting areas(a)	13	13	13	10	10	7

(a) Excludes Territory of Papua and New Guinea. (b) Includes joint-user.

## Australian airlines operations, etc.

## REGULAR INTERNAL SERVICES(a)

		Year				Six months ended December	
		1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1969	1970
Hours flown	No.	255,510	240,801	244,606	251,582	125,424	132,709
Miles flown	'000	56,759	56,724	60,348	66,241	32,571	36,123
Paying passengers(b)	No.	4,424,652	4,668,153	5,184,828	5,911,002	2,867,122	3,131,659
Paying passenger-miles	'000	1,472,469	2,125,314	2,401,783	2,802,717	1,349,776	1,526,048
Freight—							
Tons(c)		82,056	85,063	89,947	100,100	50,680	51,425
Ton-miles(c)	'000	40,148	42,320	45,521	51,021	25,750	27,298
Mail—							
Tons(c)		9,587	9,417	9,876	10,625	5,635	5,801
Ton-miles(c)	'000	5,144	5,174	5,498	5,950	3,140	3,366

## OVERSEAS SERVICES(d)

Hours flown	No.	66,840	70,611	74,757	84,684	40,071	47,204
Miles flown	'000	29,201	31,914	33,591	37,537	17,805	21,268
Paying passengers(b)	No.	466,649	562,855	642,524	751,315	355,621	413,531
Paying passenger-miles	'000	1,608,868	1,970,008	2,247,241	2,498,180	1,215,074	1,397,590
Freight—							
Tons(c)		12,259	13,733	18,537	21,165	10,480	11,972
Ton-miles(c)	'000	62,939	67,733	92,488	103,717	50,991	55,716
Mail—							
Tons(c)		2,697	3,170	2,862	2,925	1,530	1,723
Ton-miles(c)	'000	16,500	19,209	15,680	15,143	8,049	8,669

## CIVIL AVIATION ACCIDENTS INVOLVING CASUALTIES(e)

Number	38	36	17	47	31	14
Persons killed	66	47	47	49	35	29
Persons seriously injured	24	29	20	41	29	9

(a) Includes flights of all Australian-owned airlines, with the exception of those of Qantas Airways Limited, between airports located within the Commonwealth. (b) Aggregates of traffic carried on individual airline flights. Traffic continuing over one or more separate flights is counted separately for each flight on which it is carried. (c) 2,000 lb.

(d) Includes all stages of Qantas Airways Limited flights linking Australia with external territories and overseas countries, and stages external to the Commonwealth for flights of other Australian-owned airlines. Excludes flights over stages located within Papua-New Guinea. (e) All accidents resulting in death or serious injury which occurred in Australia and involved civil aircraft and gliders.

### TELEPHONE SERVICES (Number)

	Year ended 30 June—					
	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
Effective applications(a) ..	302,625	332,290	359,665	409,835	481,274	466,091
Services connected(b) ..	322,591	337,850	358,209	405,675	476,183	457,462
Services in operation(c) ..	2,120,378	2,234,703	2,358,837	2,511,231	2,703,668	2,857,010
Instruments in service(c) ..	2,978,336	3,178,278	3,392,436	3,598,692	3,913,167	

(a) Demand for telephone services allowing for applications withdrawn during period. (b) Includes re-connections. (c) At end of period.

### Telephone services in operation

State	30 June—					
	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
New South Wales(a) ..	813,672	860,179	911,444	973,976	1,050,477	1,116,719
Victoria ..	660,974	693,134	727,575	770,162	824,227	864,044
Queensland ..	262,810	275,674	290,346	307,110	328,772	347,537
South Australia(b) ..	192,922	203,191	212,842	224,174	239,452	251,330
Western Australia ..	128,023	137,689	149,662	165,691	186,056	199,558
Tasmania ..	61,977	64,836	66,968	70,118	74,684	77,822
Australia ..	2,120,378	2,234,703	2,358,837	2,511,231	2,703,668	2,857,010

(a) Includes Australian Capital Territory. (b) Includes Northern Territory.

### BROADCASTING AND TELEVISION

#### Receiving licences in force

State	30 June—					
	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
<b>BROADCAST LISTENERS' LICENCES IN FORCE(a)</b>						
New South Wales(b) ..	929,119	950,788	934,877	952,634	960,223	959,036
Victoria ..	716,594	712,813	724,711	728,647	747,508	754,762
Queensland ..	340,687	340,477	371,637	382,869	384,951	394,669
South Australia(c) ..	281,747	278,069	290,051	297,877	302,519	310,485
Western Australia ..	169,709	173,571	181,356	189,633	196,679	200,570
Tasmania ..	88,095	82,322	77,228	78,552	78,513	79,417
Australia ..	2,525,951	2,538,040	2,579,860	2,630,212	2,670,393	2,698,939

#### TELEVISION VIEWERS' LICENCES IN FORCE(a)

New South Wales(b) ..	843,103	927,038	948,153	993,145	1,031,739	1,042,724
Victoria ..	662,595	690,857	726,518	747,080	782,819	806,077
Queensland ..	277,182	302,575	335,913	367,289	372,609	399,947
South Australia(c) ..	233,726	254,504	268,595	280,420	292,359	303,252
Western Australia ..	142,881	159,048	165,632	183,307	197,692	209,882
Tasmania ..	66,187	71,113	74,581	78,216	80,756	83,286
Australia ..	2,225,674	2,405,135	2,519,392	2,649,457	2,757,974	2,845,168

(a) Includes combined licences which are required of persons owning both broadcast and television receivers located at the same address. (b) Includes Australian Capital Territory. (c) Includes Northern Territory.

## SECTION VII. RETAIL SALES

NOTE. For preliminary results of the 1968-69 Censuses of Mining, Manufacturing, Retail Trade, and Wholesale Trade see pages 159-70.

Figures in the next two tables relate to retail sales of goods (as distinct from services, accommodation, entertainment, meals, etc.) by establishments selling retail goods from fixed premises (shops, rooms, kiosks, yards). The figures for the year 1961-62 were obtained from a Census taken in respect of that year, whereas figures for the other periods shown are estimates based on sample surveys.

All figures shown are on a basis comparable with the 1961-62 Retail Census.

### TOTAL RETAIL SALES OF GOODS (EXCLUDING MOTOR VEHICLES, PARTS, PETROL, ETC.)

(\$ million)

Period	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.(a)
<b>Year—</b>							
1960-61 .. ..	2,017.4	1,502.7	694.7	448.9	346.1	163.5	5,173.3
1961-62 .. ..	2,060.4	1,517.1	701.6	451.6	360.3	166.1	5,257.1
1962-63 .. ..	2,159.6	1,585.8	738.4	479.9	378.3	172.9	5,514.9
1963-64 .. ..	2,260.1	1,693.9	797.6	525.3	401.7	180.2	5,858.8
1964-65 .. ..	2,407.5	1,822.1	855.1	574.5	437.0	191.0	6,287.2
1965-66 .. ..	2,526.6	1,920.0	897.0	602.0	480.9	198.3	6,624.8
1966-67 .. ..	2,680.4	2,042.1	960.6	627.1	524.3	215.0	7,049.5
1967-68 .. ..	2,866.5	2,177.1	1,020.6	663.6	578.0	227.9	7,533.7
1968-69 .. ..	3,020.9	2,293.5	1,068.8	706.5	651.6	239.8	7,981.1
1969-70(b) .. ..	3,250.5	2,469.5	1,142.0	760.9	706.3	252.8	8,582.0
1970-71(b) p .. ..	3,493.2	2,654.8	1,212.7	811.4	772.1	266.5	9,210.7
<b>Quarter ended—</b>							
1966-67—							
September .. ..	636.3	477.8	231.6	147.7	122.8	49.4	1,665.6
December .. ..	752.0	568.4	262.8	175.1	144.6	60.6	1,963.5
March .. ..	622.7	485.3	227.9	149.5	125.3	51.3	1,662.0
June .. ..	669.4	510.6	238.3	154.8	131.6	53.7	1,758.4
1967-68—							
September .. ..	683.0	515.6	245.5	156.5	135.0	53.9	1,789.5
December .. ..	807.7	604.5	279.2	183.3	157.5	63.3	2,095.5
March .. ..	670.1	519.0	244.2	159.4	138.3	53.5	1,784.5
June .. ..	705.7	538.0	251.7	164.4	147.2	57.2	1,864.2
1968-69—							
September .. ..	705.3	537.6	256.1	165.6	150.0	56.0	1,870.6
December .. ..	847.4	641.2	294.0	194.1	178.5	67.3	2,222.5
March .. ..	708.8	544.8	253.9	169.9	158.6	56.6	1,892.6
June .. ..	759.4	569.9	264.8	176.9	164.5	59.9	1,995.4
1969-70—							
September .. ..	764.6	573.5	271.3	177.6	164.4	59.0	2,010.4
December .. ..	911.5	690.2	313.7	209.3	194.5	71.0	2,390.2
March .. ..	758.6	586.7	272.6	183.0	169.7	59.3	2,029.9
June(b) .. ..	815.8	619.1	284.4	191.0	177.7	63.5	2,151.5
1970-71(b)—							
September .. ..	815.3	617.1	288.9	187.6	179.1	61.9	2,149.9
December .. ..	981.4	745.4	328.9	225.7	214.9	74.4	2,570.7
March .. ..	815.6	626.4	287.9	193.4	184.4	62.7	2,170.4
June p .. ..	880.9	665.9	307.0	204.7	193.7	67.5	2,319.7

(a) Excludes Northern Territory and Australian Capital Territory. information is available relating to trading by new businesses.

(b) Subject to revision when more precise

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**TOTAL VALUE OF RETAIL SALES OF GOODS: COMMODITY GROUPS—  
AUSTRALIA(a)**

All figures shown are on a basis comparable with the 1961-62 Retail Census.

(\$ million)

YEARS

Commodity group	1961-62 (b)	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70 (c)
Groceries .. .. .	858.3	1,090.4	1,161.5	1,249.1	1,320.1	1,402.8
Butchers' meat .. .. .	422.3	548.7	590.3	616.2	630.7	669.8
Other food(d) .. .. .	729.9	892.2	947.9	1,002.0	1,038.1	1,116.3
Beer, wine and spirits(e) .. .. .	545.9	684.4	744.0	811.9	867.2	941.5
<b>Total food and drink .. .. .</b>	<b>2,556.4</b>	<b>3,215.7</b>	<b>3,443.7</b>	<b>3,679.2</b>	<b>3,856.1</b>	<b>4,130.4</b>
Clothing and drapery .. .. .	900.0	1,120.4	1,173.5	1,248.5	1,312.3	1,394.0
Footwear .. .. .	154.7	180.5	197.3	210.0	216.1	232.0
Hardware, china and glassware(f) .. .. .	146.0	164.0	175.6	183.4	201.3	222.1
Electrical goods(g) .. .. .	348.0	401.0	409.5	446.5	465.5	497.5
Furniture and floor coverings .. .. .	230.1	312.0	323.9	358.2	393.2	431.7
Chemists' goods .. .. .	265.8	362.0	387.5	417.3	453.9	501.6
Newspapers, books and stationery .. .. .	166.4	213.7	235.0	252.2	272.2	296.4
Other goods(h) .. .. .	489.7	655.5	703.5	738.4	810.5	876.3
<b>Total (excluding motor vehicles, parts, petrol, etc.) .. .. .</b>	<b>5,257.1</b>	<b>6,624.8</b>	<b>7,049.5</b>	<b>7,533.7</b>	<b>7,981.1</b>	<b>8,582.0</b>
<b>Motor vehicles, parts, petrol, etc.(i) .. .. .</b>	<b>1,603.2</b>	<b>2,373.7</b>	<b>2,516.7</b>	<b>2,818.7</b>	<b>3,048.8</b>	<b>3,350.4</b>

QUARTERS

Commodity group	Dec. 1969	March 1970	June 1970(c)	Sept. 1970(c)	Dec. 1970(c)	March 1971(c)
Groceries .. .. .	371.3	341.1	353.6	360.5	398.6	363.3
Butchers' meat .. .. .	169.8	162.8	173.4	175.0	179.7	171.3
Other food(d) .. .. .	291.8	284.1	277.8	285.3	311.2	296.8
Beer, wine and spirits(e) .. .. .	259.9	244.0	224.9	227.4	277.0	260.1
<b>Total food and drink .. .. .</b>	<b>1,092.8</b>	<b>1,032.0</b>	<b>1,029.7</b>	<b>1,048.2</b>	<b>1,166.5</b>	<b>1,091.5</b>
Clothing and drapery .. .. .	402.8	293.0	375.8	340.2	433.8	309.3
Footwear .. .. .	65.3	49.9	63.6	54.8	68.0	53.3
Hardware, china and glassware(f) .. .. .	70.3	50.6	51.9	51.8	76.4	55.3
Electrical goods(g) .. .. .	146.7	114.0	120.3	123.0	161.9	128.7
Furniture and floor coverings .. .. .	124.7	95.2	105.9	112.9	134.6	104.4
Chemists' goods .. .. .	138.7	117.2	126.3	131.3	154.0	130.7
Newspapers, books and stationery .. .. .	81.4	76.9	71.6	71.0	90.0	82.4
Other goods(h) .. .. .	267.5	201.1	206.4	216.7	285.5	214.8
<b>Total (excluding motor vehicles, parts, petrol, etc.) .. .. .</b>	<b>2,390.2</b>	<b>2,029.9</b>	<b>2,151.5</b>	<b>2,149.9</b>	<b>2,570.7</b>	<b>2,170.4</b>
<b>Motor vehicles, parts, petrol, etc.(i) .. .. .</b>	<b>862.7</b>	<b>811.9</b>	<b>848.7</b>	<b>861.9</b>	<b>931.1</b>	<b>869.3</b>

(a) Excludes Northern Territory and Australian Capital Territory. (b) Census figures. (c) Subject to revision when more precise information is available relating to trading by new businesses. (d) Includes fresh fruit and vegetables, confectionery, soft drinks, ice cream, cakes, pastry, cooked provisions, fish, etc., but excludes some delivered milk and bread. (e) Excludes sales made by licensed clubs. (f) Excludes basic building materials, builders' hardware and supplies such as tools of trade, paint, etc. (g) Includes radios, television and accessories, musical instruments, domestic refrigerators, etc. (h) Includes tobacco, cigarettes, etc., jewellery, sporting goods, etc., but excludes grain and produce, and business machines. (i) Includes new and used motor vehicles, parts, petrol, etc. but excludes tractors, farm machinery and implements, earth-moving equipment, etc.

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## RETAIL SALES

# **INSTALMENT CREDIT FOR RETAIL SALES FINANCED BY NON-RETAIL FINANCE BUSINESSES AND RETAIL BUSINESSES**

The statistics in the following tables cover instalment credit schemes which relate primarily to the financing of retail sales of goods. In general 'instalment credit' is defined as relating to schemes in which repayment is made by regular pre-determined instalments, and includes hire-purchase, time payment, budget account, and personal loan schemes which relate primarily to financing of retail sales of goods. The following tables include all such credit, whether it is advanced by retail businesses (including finance subsidiaries of retail businesses) or by non-retail finance businesses.

**Instalment credit for retail sales by type of business: Amount financed, by commodity groups, cash collections, and balances outstanding—Australia**  
(\$ million)

	Amount financed during period (excluding hiring charges, interest, insurance, etc.)				Collections during period (including hiring charges, etc.)	Balances outstanding at end of period (including hiring charges etc.)
	Motor vehicles, etc.(a)	Plant and machinery (b)	Household and personal goods(c)	Total		
NON-RETAIL FINANCE BUSINESSES						
Year—						
1965-66 .. .. .	523.6	69.6	83.5	676.8	822.1	1,074.0
1966-67 .. .. .	542.1	83.5	84.4	710.0	854.1	1,103.7
1967-68 .. .. .	648.0	93.6	87.8	829.4	906.5	1,238.0
1968-69 .. .. .	730.1	114.7	88.5	933.3	1,014.3	1,388.6
1969-70 .. .. .	843.3	112.7	88.5	1,044.5	1,128.1	1,565.8
Quarter ended—						
December 1969 .. .. .	215.2	31.7	24.0	270.9	277.4	1,496.4
March 1970 .. .. .	206.2	25.5	21.0	252.7	289.8	1,523.6
June 1970 .. .. .	216.6	29.4	21.9	267.9	293.7	1,565.8
September 1970 .. .. .	220.6	24.9	20.7	266.1	296.8	1,603.8
December 1970 .. .. .	238.0	27.0	25.0	290.0	307.6	1,659.5
March 1971 .. .. .	226.7	24.2	22.3	273.2	319.6	1,685.4
RETAIL BUSINESSES						
Year—						
1965-66 .. .. .	19.2	3.2	259.4	281.8	155.4	360.3
1966-67 .. .. .	19.8	3.7	254.0	277.6	158.5	339.2
1967-68 .. .. .	21.0	3.4	266.0	290.3	335.7	337.8
1968-69 .. .. .	25.0	3.8	273.0	301.8	347.9	344.6
1969-70 .. .. .	22.1	2.6	286.3	311.0	359.2	348.9
Quarter ended—						
December 1969 .. .. .	6.0	0.7	91.0	97.7	90.9	362.9
March 1970 .. .. .	5.5	0.5	58.0	63.9	85.7	352.7
June 1970 .. .. .	5.3	0.6	70.5	76.4	91.7	348.9
September 1970 .. .. .	4.7	0.4	69.4	74.6	92.6	342.8
December 1970 .. .. .	5.9	0.6	94.0	100.5	92.8	368.5
March 1971 .. .. .	5.3	0.4	63.3	69.0	90.2	361.9

(a), (b), (c) see footnotes (d), (e) and (f) to next table.

Instalment credit for retail sales, by type of business: amount financed, by commodity groups,  
cash collections and balances outstanding—Australia—continued

(\$ million)

Year—	Amount financed during period (excluding hiring charges, interest, insurance, etc.)				Collections during period (including hiring charges, etc.)	Balances outstanding at end of period (including hiring charges, etc.)
	Motor vehicles, etc.(a)	Plant and machinery (b)	Household and personal goods(c)	Total		
ALL BUSINESSES						
1965-66 .. .. .	542.8	72.8	342.9	958.6	1,177.5	1,434.3
1966-67 .. .. .	561.9	87.3	338.3	987.5	1,192.6	1,443.0
1967-68 .. .. .	669.0	97.0	353.8	1,119.8	1,242.1	1,575.8
1968-69 .. .. .	755.0	118.5	361.5	1,235.1	1,362.1	1,733.2
1969-70 .. .. .	865.4	115.3	374.8	1,355.5	1,487.3	1,914.7
Quarter ended—						
December 1969 .. .. .	221.3	32.4	115.0	368.7	368.4	1,859.3
March 1970 .. .. .	211.7	25.9	79.0	316.7	375.5	1,876.3
June 1970 .. .. .	221.9	30.0	92.4	344.3	385.5	1,914.7
September 1970 .. .. .	225.3	25.3	90.1	340.6	389.4	1,946.6
December 1970 .. .. .	243.9	27.6	118.9	390.5	400.4	2,028.1
March 1971 .. .. .	211.9	24.6	85.6	342.2	409.9	2,047.3

(a), (b), (c) see footnotes (d), (e) and (f) to next table.

Instalment credit for retail sales by type of business: Amount financed(a) by commodity groups,  
March quarter 1971

(\$ million)

	N.S.W.(b)	Vic.	Qld	S.A.(c)	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
<b>NON-RETAIL FINANCE BUSINESSES</b>							
Motor vehicles, etc.(d) ..	89.0	53.1	31.9	22.3	24.1	6.3	226.7
Plant and machinery(e) ..	9.2	5.8	3.9	1.1	3.1	1.1	24.2
Household and personal goods(f) ..	8.4	4.9	4.1	1.9	2.0	0.9	22.3
Total .. .. .	106.7	63.8	39.9	25.4	29.1	8.3	273.2
<b>RETAIL BUSINESSES</b>							
Motor vehicles, etc.(d) ..	1.8	1.4	0.3	0.4	1.1	0.2	5.3
Plant and machinery(e) ..	—	0.2	—	0.1	0.1	—	0.4
Household and personal goods(f) ..	25.7	17.9	8.8	5.7	4.0	1.2	63.3
Total .. .. .	27.6	19.5	9.2	6.2	5.2	1.4	69.0
<b>ALL BUSINESSES</b>							
Motor vehicles, etc.(d) ..	90.8	54.5	32.3	22.7	25.1	6.5	231.9
Plant and machinery(e) ..	9.3	6.0	3.9	1.2	3.2	1.1	24.6
Household and personal goods(f) ..	34.2	22.8	12.9	7.6	5.9	2.1	85.6
Total .. .. .	134.2	83.3	49.1	31.5	34.3	9.8	342.2

(a) Excludes hiring charges, interest, insurance, etc. (b) Includes Australian Capital Territory. (c) Includes Northern Territory. (d) Includes new and used motor cars, motor cycles, commercial vehicles, tractors, caravans, trailers, motor parts and accessories, etc. (e) Includes farm machinery and implements, earth-moving equipment, aircraft, industrial plant and machinery, business machines and equipment (including commercial refrigeration equipment), etc. (f) Includes furniture, furnishings and floor coverings, domestic refrigerators, electrical goods, radios, television, musical instruments, bicycles, motor mowers, clothing, etc.

Instalment credit for retail sales: amount financed, by type of business(a)  
(\$ million)

	N.S.W.(b)	Vic.	Qld	S.A.(c)	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
NON-RETAIL FINANCE BUSINESSES							
Year—							
1965-66 ..	253.2	159.1	112.8	65.4	62.0	24.3	676.8
1966-67 ..	268.9	162.8	117.6	61.5	73.7	25.4	710.0
1967-68 ..	307.0	193.0	139.2	68.6	92.5	29.1	829.4
1968-69 ..	353.2	223.2	142.4	86.5	97.7	30.3	933.3
1969-70 ..	390.1	260.2	150.7	101.7	110.8	30.9	1,044.5
Quarter ended—							
December 1969 ..	100.0	70.4	38.1	24.9	29.2	8.3	270.9
March 1970 ..	94.6	61.9	35.8	26.5	26.8	7.1	252.7
June 1970 ..	102.2	65.7	37.9	25.8	28.7	7.7	267.9
September 1970 ..	100.8	63.6	39.8	26.0	27.8	8.0	266.1
December 1970 ..	111.0	71.1	41.9	27.8	29.6	8.5	290.0
March 1971 ..	106.7	63.8	39.9	25.4	29.1	8.3	273.2
RETAIL BUSINESSES							
Year—							
1965-66 ..	120.8	75.7	36.0	23.1	21.0	5.2	281.8
1966-67 ..	117.1	75.2	35.6	20.9	23.6	5.2	277.6
1967-68 ..	122.8	78.0	37.6	21.5	25.1	5.3	290.3
1968-69 ..	125.1	83.3	36.2	24.1	26.9	6.3	301.8
1969-70 ..	129.3	86.9	37.9	25.1	25.1	6.6	311.0
Quarter ended—							
December 1969 ..	42.4	26.8	11.4	7.7	7.5	2.0	97.7
March 1970 ..	25.2	18.2	8.2	5.6	5.3	1.4	63.9
June 1970 ..	30.8	22.1	9.5	6.1	6.2	1.7	76.4
September 1970 ..	30.5	21.3	9.6	5.9	5.5	1.6	74.6
December 1970 ..	43.1	27.7	12.7	7.7	7.1	2.1	100.5
March 1971 ..	27.6	19.5	9.2	6.2	5.2	1.4	69.0
ALL BUSINESSES							
Year—							
1965-66 ..	373.9	234.8	148.8	88.5	83.1	29.5	958.6
1966-67 ..	386.0	238.1	153.2	82.4	97.3	30.6	987.5
1967-68 ..	429.8	271.0	176.9	90.0	117.6	34.4	1,119.8
1968-69 ..	478.3	306.4	178.6	110.6	124.7	36.5	1,235.1
1969-70 ..	519.4	347.1	188.6	126.9	136.0	37.6	1,355.5
Quarter ended—							
December 1969 ..	142.4	97.2	49.5	32.6	36.7	10.3	368.7
March 1970 ..	119.8	80.1	44.1	32.1	32.1	8.5	316.7
June 1970 ..	133.1	87.7	47.3	31.8	34.9	9.5	344.3
September 1970 ..	131.3	85.0	49.4	31.9	33.3	9.7	340.6
December 1970 ..	154.1	98.9	54.7	35.5	36.7	10.6	390.5
March 1971 ..	134.2	83.3	49.1	31.5	34.3	9.8	342.2

(a) Excludes hiring charges, interest, insurance, etc. (b) Includes Australian Capital Territory. (c) Includes Northern Territory.

Instalment credit for retail sales: cash collections, by type of business

(\$ million)

	N.S.W.(a)	Vic.	Qld	S.A.(b)	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
NON-RETAIL FINANCE BUSINESSES							
Year—							
1965-66 ..	306.8	197.7	138.8	81.1	68.0	29.7	822.1
1966-67 ..	322.1	200.5	142.5	80.2	77.4	31.3	854.1
1967-68 ..	339.5	207.9	157.2	79.7	89.6	32.6	906.5
1968-69 ..	383.0	236.2	165.1	91.0	102.6	36.3	1,014.3
1969-70 ..	420.2	271.4	175.4	107.7	116.1	37.3	1,128.1
Quarter ended—							
December 1969 ..	102.5	67.9	44.2	26.1	27.3	9.4	277.4
March 1970 ..	108.4	66.5	43.3	28.9	33.9	8.8	289.8
June 1970 ..	108.5	73.8	44.1	28.2	29.2	10.0	293.7
September 1970 ..	111.5	73.1	45.4	28.2	28.5	10.1	296.8
December 1970 ..	116.7	77.8	44.9	28.5	29.9	9.9	307.6
March 1971 ..	122.0	76.1	44.5	30.2	37.1	9.6	319.6

## RETAIL BUSINESSES

Year—							
1965-66 ..	154.0	92.9	45.4	31.0	25.3	6.9	355.4
1966-67 ..	144.1	89.1	43.9	27.8	27.0	6.7	338.5
1967-68 ..	143.4	89.6	42.8	26.2	27.2	6.5	335.7
1968-69 ..	149.1	92.6	42.8	27.4	29.3	6.7	347.9
1969-70 ..	155.2	96.5	42.6	28.3	29.5	7.0	359.2
Quarter ended—							
December 1969 ..	39.7	24.6	10.6	6.9	7.4	1.7	90.9
March 1970 ..	36.9	22.5	10.5	7.1	7.1	1.7	85.7
June 1970 ..	39.7	24.6	10.9	7.4	7.2	1.8	91.7
September 1970 ..	39.9	24.7	11.4	7.3	7.3	2.0	92.6
December 1970 ..	40.2	25.0	11.5	7.0	7.1	2.0	92.8
March 1971 ..	38.4	24.2	11.2	7.4	7.2	1.9	90.2

## ALL BUSINESSES

Year—							
1965-66 ..	460.8	290.7	184.1	112.1	93.3	36.6	1,177.5
1966-67 ..	466.2	289.6	186.4	107.9	104.4	38.1	1,192.6
1967-68 ..	482.9	297.5	200.0	105.9	116.8	39.0	1,242.1
1968-69 ..	532.1	328.9	207.9	118.5	131.9	42.9	1,362.1
1969-70 ..	575.3	367.9	218.1	136.1	145.6	44.3	1,487.3
Quarter ended—							
December 1969 ..	142.2	92.5	54.9	33.0	34.7	11.1	368.4
March 1970 ..	145.3	89.0	53.8	35.9	41.0	10.5	375.5
June 1970 ..	148.2	98.4	55.0	35.6	36.4	11.9	385.5
September 1970 ..	151.5	97.8	56.8	35.5	35.8	12.1	389.4
December 1970 ..	156.9	102.7	56.4	35.4	37.0	11.8	400.4
March 1971 ..	160.4	100.4	55.7	37.6	44.3	11.5	409.9

(a) Includes Australian Capital Territory.

(b) Includes Northern Territory.

## RETAIL SALES

Instalment credit for retail sales: balances outstanding(a), by type of business  
(\$ million)

At end of—	N.S.W.(b)	Vic.	Qld	S.A.(c)	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
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## NON-RETAIL FINANCE BUSINESSES

June 1966	..	405.3	253.3	182.4	105.8	89.6	37.5	1,074.0
June 1967	..	415.8	254.5	188.5	104.9	101.3	38.8	1,103.7
June 1968	..	458.6	291.2	207.2	112.1	125.8	43.1	1,238.0
June 1969	..	517.0	333.6	221.5	127.9	143.3	45.4	1,388.6
June 1970	..	583.2	385.6	238.4	148.4	162.6	47.4	1,565.8
December 1969	..	554.9	365.1	232.0	139.4	157.6	47.4	1,496.4
March 1970	..	564.0	376.6	234.3	144.1	157.0	47.6	1,523.6
June 1970	..	583.2	385.6	238.4	148.4	162.6	47.4	1,565.8
September 1970	..	597.1	394.8	243.0	152.9	168.1	48.0	1,603.8
December 1970	..	619.6	407.4	249.2	159.8	174.0	49.4	1,659.5
March 1971	..	632.4	412.4	254.4	162.0	174.2	50.1	1,685.4

## RETAIL BUSINESSES

June 1966	..	154.5	91.4	49.3	31.5	25.9	7.6	360.3
June 1967	..	146.5	86.8	45.6	27.8	25.4	7.1	339.2
June 1968	..	150.5	82.6	45.6	25.9	26.8	6.5	337.8
June 1969	..	155.2	84.8	44.5	25.6	27.6	6.8	344.6
June 1970	..	157.8	88.6	44.9	25.5	24.7	7.3	348.9
December 1969	..	166.6	88.8	47.0	26.8	26.3	7.3	362.9
March 1970	..	160.9	87.4	45.8	26.3	25.1	7.2	352.7
June 1970	..	157.8	88.6	44.9	25.5	24.7	7.3	348.9
September 1970	..	154.9	87.8	44.6	24.8	23.6	7.1	342.8
December 1970	..	169.0	93.7	47.7	26.3	24.3	7.5	368.5
March 1971	..	164.6	93.3	47.9	25.9	23.0	7.2	361.9

## ALL BUSINESSES

June 1966	..	559.8	314.7	231.7	137.3	115.5	45.1	1,434.3
June 1967	..	562.3	341.3	234.1	132.8	126.7	45.8	1,443.0
June 1968	..	609.0	373.8	252.8	138.1	152.6	49.6	1,575.8
June 1969	..	672.3	418.4	266.0	151.5	170.9	52.2	1,733.2
June 1970	..	741.0	474.3	283.3	173.9	187.4	54.7	1,914.7
December 1969	..	721.5	453.9	279.0	166.2	183.9	54.7	1,859.3
March 1970	..	724.9	464.0	280.1	170.4	182.1	54.8	1,876.3
June 1970	..	741.0	474.3	283.3	173.9	187.4	54.7	1,914.7
September 1970	..	752.0	482.5	287.6	177.6	191.7	55.1	1,946.6
December 1970	..	788.6	501.1	296.9	186.1	198.4	57.0	2,028.1
March 1971	..	797.0	505.7	302.3	187.9	197.1	57.3	2,047.3

(a) Includes hiring charges, interest, insurance, etc.  
Northern Territory.

(b) Includes Australian Capital Territory.

(c) Includes

# SECTION VIII. OVERSEAS TRADE

## OVERSEAS TRADE: STATES

(\$'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

State or Territory	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71 <sup>a</sup>
<b>EXPORTS(a)</b>						
New South Wales	781,206	878,446	943,182	1,010,488	1,158,603	1,114,292
Victoria	768,063	801,187	685,755	707,579	912,596	1,035,648
Queensland	462,597	499,968	562,937	677,459	773,519	790,547
South Australia	296,277	325,170	282,767	300,934	417,031	393,755
Western Australia	314,403	421,325	475,261	546,366	675,027	863,897
Tasmania	92,008	88,835	76,888	102,061	143,470	143,356
Northern Territory	6,398	8,968	17,855	28,934	49,725	36,224
Australian Capital Territory	1	26	30	442	1,571	1,276
<b>Australia</b>	<b>2,720,953</b>	<b>3,023,925</b>	<b>3,044,675</b>	<b>3,374,263</b>	<b>4,131,543</b>	<b>4,378,995</b>
<b>IMPORTS</b>						
New South Wales	1,257,603	1,323,597	1,405,331	1,500,559	1,707,445	1,821,986
Victoria	1,017,360	1,072,514	1,130,741	1,182,747	1,347,053	1,458,780
Queensland	240,349	193,677	236,768	288,599	294,114	321,731
South Australia	198,156	196,771	215,619	231,956	231,223	198,477
Western Australia	175,690	159,390	206,980	203,534	242,299	277,930
Tasmania	43,585	85,372	45,024	37,509	46,998	45,782
Northern Territory	5,596	7,386	9,407	21,800	39,829	23,711
Australian Capital Territory	1,153	6,434	14,604	1,801	2,267	1,642
<b>Australia</b>	<b>2,939,492</b>	<b>3,045,341</b>	<b>3,264,473</b>	<b>3,465,505</b>	<b>3,881,227</b>	<b>4,150,039</b>

## OVERSEAS TRADE: AUSTRALIA

(\$'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Period	Exports(a)			Imports
	Aust. produce	Re-exports	Total	
Year—				
1965-66	2,638,097	82,856	2,720,953	2,939,492
1966-67	2,936,251	87,674	3,023,925	3,045,341
1967-68	2,935,156	109,519	3,044,675	3,264,473
1968-69	3,243,079	129,185	3,374,263	3,468,505
1969-70	3,960,184	171,359	4,131,543	3,881,227
1970-71 <sup>p</sup>	4,204,115	174,880	4,378,995	4,150,039

Period	Exports(a)			Imports			Excess of exports (+) or imports (-)		
	Merchandise	Non-merchandise	Total	Merchandise	Non-merchandise	Total	Merchandise	Non-merchandise	Total
Year—									
1965-66	2,633,532	87,421	2,720,953	2,896,280	41,212	2,939,492	-264,748	+46,209	-218,539
1966-67	2,934,600	89,325	3,023,925	3,003,973	41,368	3,045,341	-69,373	+47,957	-21,416
1967-68	2,935,200	109,476	3,044,675	3,215,003	49,470	3,264,473	-279,803	+60,006	-219,798
1968-69	3,240,283	133,980	3,374,263	3,423,276	45,229	3,468,505	-182,993	+84,751	-94,242
1969-70	3,994,128	137,415	4,131,543	3,822,623	58,604	3,881,227	+171,505	+78,811	+250,316
1970-71 <sup>p</sup>	4,245,608	133,387	4,378,995	4,098,652	51,387	4,150,039	+146,956	+82,000	+224,956

(a) Excludes stores loaded in Australian ports on board overseas ships and aircraft, the values of which in \$A'000 were: 1966-67, 38, 72; 1967-68, 48,793; 1968-69, 46,841; 1969-70, 50,308; and 1970-71, 59,751.

VALUE OF COMMODITIES EXPORTED AND IMPORTED: AUSTRALIA  
TOTAL EXPORTS

(\$'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Division or Group No.	Description	1969-70	1970-71p
00	DIVISION 00.—LIVE ANIMALS .. .. .	7,358	10,209
01	DIVISION 01.—MEAT AND MEAT PREPARATIONS		
	Meat—		
011	Fresh, chilled or frozen .. .. .	400,616	402,420
012	Dried, salted or smoked .. .. .	466	704
013	Canned or bottled and preparations .. .. .	16,827	27,631
	Total, Division 01 .. .. .	417,909	430,754
02	DIVISION 02.—DAIRY PRODUCTS AND EGGS		
022	Milk and cream .. .. .	22,925	26,669
023	Butter including ghee .. .. .	52,459	48,070
024	Cheese and curd .. .. .	19,579	19,062
025	Eggs .. .. .	7,292	8,450
	Total, Division 02 .. .. .	102,254	102,249
03	DIVISION 03.—FISH AND FISH PREPARATIONS		
	Fish—		
031	Fresh and simply preserved .. .. .	36,826	51,257
032	Canned or bottled, n.e.s. and fish preparations .. .. .	2,282	5,186
	Total, Division 03 .. .. .	39,107	56,443
04	DIVISION 04.—CEREAL GRAINS AND CEREAL PREPARATIONS		
041	wheat and meslin, unmilled .. .. .		
042	Rice .. .. .	337,570	434,027
043	Barley, unmilled .. .. .	17,106	13,221
044	Maize, unmilled .. .. .	22,768	50,820
045	Other cereal grains, unmilled .. .. .	51	1,205
046	Meal and flour of wheat or meslin .. .. .	12,269	19,748
047	Meal and flour of other cereal grains .. .. .	21,740	20,307
048	Cereal preparations and preparations of flour .. .. .	91	178
	Total, Division 04 .. .. .	20,197	27,716
		431,792	597,220
05	DIVISION 05.—FRUIT AND VEGETABLES		
	Fruit—		
051	Fresh (including nuts, fresh or dried) .. .. .	31,048	33,025
052	Dried .. .. .	16,091	20,055
053	Preserved and preparations .. .. .	40,618	46,797
	Vegetables—		
054	Fresh, frozen or simply preserved .. .. .	5,108	6,217
055	Preserved or prepared, n.e.s. .. .. .	1,235	966
	Total, Division 05 .. .. .	94,102	107,060
06	DIVISION 06.—SUGAR, SUGAR PREPARATIONS AND HONEY		
061	Sugar and honey .. .. .		
062	Sugar confectionery and other sugar preparations .. .. .	121,060	159,342
	Total, Division 06 .. .. .	788	764
		121,848	160,106
07	DIVISION 07.—COFFEE, TEA, CUCOA, SPICES AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF .. .. .	4,240	5,585
08	DIVISION 08.—FEEDING-STUFF FOR ANIMALS .. .. .	12,406	11,890

Total exports—continued  
(\$'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Division of group No.	Description	1969-70	1970-71p
09	DIVISION 09.—MISCELLANEOUS PREPARATIONS CHIEFLY FOR FOOD	3,500	3,568
11	DIVISION 11.—BEVERAGES .. .. .	7,623	9,826
12	DIVISION 12.—TOBACCO AND TOBACCO MANUFACTURES ..	2,982	4,785
21	DIVISION 21.—HIDES, SKINS AND FUR SKINS, UNDRESSED		
211	Hides and skins (except fur skins), undressed .. ..	87,455	71,342
212	Fur skins, undressed .. .. .	2,467	2,405
	Total, Division 21 .. .. .	89,922	73,746
22	DIVISION 22.—OIL-SEEDS, OIL NUTS AND OIL KERNELS ..	1,094	2,012
23	DIVISION 23.—CRUDE RUBBER (INCLUDING SYNTHETIC AND RECLAIMED) .. .. .	806	1,345
24	DIVISION 24.—WOOD, TIMBER AND CORK .. .. .	4,397	4,274
25	DIVISION 25.—PULP AND WASTE PAPER .. .. .	411	472
26	DIVISION 26.—TEXTILE FIBRES AND THEIR WASTE		
261	Silk .. .. .		
262	Wool and other animal hair .. .. .	761,322	544,416
263	Cotton .. .. .	5,203	3,503
264	Jute .. .. .	1	6
265	Vegetable textile fibres, other .. .. .		
266	Synthetic and regenerated man-made fibres .. .. .	251	161
267	Waste materials from textile fabrics .. .. .	2,025	1,848
	Total, Division 26 .. .. .	768,802	549,933
27	DIVISION 27.—CRUDE FERTILISERS AND CRUDE MINERALS ..	9,524	16,330
28	DIVISION 28.—METALLIFEROUS ORES AND METAL SCRAP		
281	Iron ore and concentrates .. .. .	277,867	374,260
282	Iron and steel scrap waste .. .. .	17,040	17,416
283	Ores and concentrates of non-ferrous base metals ..	204,990	230,410
284	Non-ferrous metal waste and scrap, n.e.s. .. ..	5,709	3,538
285	Silver and platinum ores and concentrates .. ..	609	309
286	Uranium and thorium ores and concentrates .. ..	353	793
	Total, Division 28 .. .. .	506,567	626,726
29	DIVISION 29.—CRUDE ANIMAL AND VEGETABLE MATERIALS, N.E.S.	14,636	16,515
32	DIVISION 32.—COAL, COKE AND BRIQUETTES .. ..	172,414	204,822
33	DIVISION 33.—PETROLEUM AND PETROLEUM PRODUCTS ..	27,722	41,578
41	DIVISION 41.—ANIMAL OILS AND FATS .. .. .	24,836	27,791
42	DIVISION 42.—FIXED VEGETABLE OILS AND FATS .. ..	100	99
43	DIVISION 43.—ANIMAL AND VEGETABLE OILS, FATS AND WAXES ..	913	1,301

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Division or group No.	Description	1969-70	1970-71p
51	DIVISION 51.—CHEMICAL ELEMENTS AND COMPOUNDS		
512	Organic chemicals		
513	Inorganic chemicals	6,048	8,710
514	Other inorganic chemicals	86,658	101,182
515	Radioactive and associated materials	1,428	1,893
		22	51
	Total, Division 51	94,155	111,836
52	DIVISION 52.—MINERAL TAR AND CRUDE CHEMICALS FROM COAL, PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS	256	319
53	DIVISION 53.—DYEING, TANNING AND COLOURING MATERIALS	8,472	8,886
54	DIVISION 54.—MEDICINAL AND PHARMACEUTICAL PRODUCTS	18,383	24,799
55	DIVISION 55.—ESSENTIAL OILS, PERFUME MATERIALS, TOILET AND POLISHING PREPARATIONS	6,104	7,516
56	DIVISION 56.—FERTILISERS, MANUFACTURED	844	175
57	DIVISION 57.—EXPLOSIVES AND PYROTECHNIC PRODUCTS	2,436	3,167
58	DIVISION 58.—PLASTIC MATERIALS, REGENERATED CELLULOSE AND ARTIFICIAL RESINS	6,802	8,798
59	DIVISION 59.—CHEMICAL MATERIALS AND PRODUCTS, N.E.S.	23,537	25,683
61	DIVISION 61.—LEATHER, LEATHER MANUFACTURES, N.E.S., AND DRESSED FUR SKINS	5,652	5,676
62	DIVISION 62.—RUBBER MANUFACTURES, N.E.S.	12,127	9,959
63	DIVISION 63.—WOOD AND CORK MANUFACTURES (EXCEPT FURNI- TURE)	2,559	4,519
64	DIVISION 64.—PAPER, PAPERBOARD AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF		
641	Paper and paperboard	9,487	11,136
642	Articles made of paper pulp, paper or paperboard	2,593	3,277
	Total, Division 64	12,080	14,413
65	DIVISION 65.—TEXTILE YARN, FABRICS, MADE-UP ARTICLES AND RELATED PRODUCTS		
651	Textile yarn and thread	4,279	5,657
652	Woven cotton fabrics (except narrow or special fabrics)	2,464	2,908
653	Textile fabrics (except narrow or special fabrics) other than woven cotton	6,772	8,501
654	Tulle, lace, etc., and other small wares	296	328
655	Special textile fabrics and related products	2,565	2,878
656	Made-up articles, wholly or chiefly of textile materials, n.e.s.	1,433	2,102
657	Floor coverings, tapestries, etc.	1,099	1,544
	Total, Division 65	18,909	23,919
66	DIVISION 66.—NON-METALLIC MINERAL MANUFACTURES, N.E.S.		
661	Lime, cement and fabricated building materials	1,068	1,664
662	Clay and refractory construction materials	652	1,132
663	Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.	2,194	2,990
664	Glass	2,083	2,594
665	Glassware	1,593	1,410
666	Pottery	90	96
667	Pearls and precious and semi-precious stones	19,363	18,260
	Total, Division 66	27,042	28,146

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Division or group No.	Description	1969-70	1970-71p
67	<b>DIVISION 67.—IRON AND STEEL</b>		
671	Pig iron, spiegeleisen, sponge iron, etc. .. ..	15,100	22,044
672	Ingot and other primary forms of iron or steel .. ..	33,688	9,809
673	Iron and steel bars, rods, etc. .. ..	18,174	13,770
674	Universals, plates and sheets of iron or steel .. ..	46,290	30,727
675	Hoop and strip of iron or steel .. ..	1,704	1,572
676	Railway and tramway track construction material .. ..	1,475	988
677	Iron and steel wire (except wire rod) .. ..	5,181	3,047
678	Tubes, pipes and fittings of iron or steel .. ..	12,327	12,962
679	Iron and steel castings and forgings, unworked, n.e.s. ..	1,767	2,196
	<b>Total, Division 67</b> .. ..	<b>135,707</b>	<b>97,115</b>
68	<b>DIVISION 68.—NON-FERROUS METALS</b>		
681	Silver and alloys and platinum and platinum group metals ..	14,484	12,776
682	Copper and copper alloys .. ..	91,044	66,892
683	Nickel and nickel alloys, n.e.s. .. ..	1,462	26,279
684	Aluminium and aluminium alloys .. ..	25,052	39,958
685	Lead and lead alloys .. ..	106,627	87,679
686	Zinc and zinc alloys .. ..	39,142	36,399
687	Tin and tin alloys .. ..	2,819	4,791
688	Uranium and thorium and their alloys .. ..		5
689	Miscellaneous non-ferrous base metals and their alloys ..	3,482	2,304
	<b>Total, Division 68</b> .. ..	<b>284,112</b>	<b>277,084</b>
69	<b>DIVISION 69.—MANUFACTURES OF METAL, N.E.S.</b>		
691	Finished structural parts and structures, n.e.s. .. ..	9,830	13,226
692	Metal containers for storage and transport .. ..	3,548	4,547
693	Wire products (except insulated electric cable) and fencing grills	2,220	3,740
694	Nails, screws, nuts, etc., of iron, steel or copper .. ..	2,021	2,894
695	Tools for use in the hand or machines .. ..	6,486	7,241
696	Cutlery .. ..	1,773	2,478
697	Household equipment of base metals .. ..	2,381	2,623
698	Manufactures of metal, n.e.s. .. ..	14,208	18,518
	<b>Total, Division 69</b> .. ..	<b>42,466</b>	<b>55,267</b>
71	<b>DIVISION 71.—MACHINERY (EXCEPT ELECTRIC)</b>		
711	Power generating machinery (except electric) .. ..	14,674	15,146
712	Agricultural machinery, implements and parts .. ..	11,926	13,510
714	Office machines .. ..	4,926	7,582
715	Metalworking machinery .. ..	3,795	4,253
717	Textile and leather machinery .. ..	1,536	2,458
718	Machinery for special industries .. ..	23,242	29,607
719	Machinery and appliances, non-electrical and parts, n.e.s. ..	29,704	40,583
	<b>Total, Division 71</b> .. ..	<b>89,804</b>	<b>113,137</b>
72	<b>DIVISION 72.—ELECTRIC MACHINERY, APPARATUS AND APPLIANCES</b>		
722	Electric power machinery and switchgear .. ..	6,625	9,657
723	Equipment for distributing electricity .. ..	2,841	4,393
724	Telecommunications apparatus .. ..	7,632	6,890
725	Domestic electric equipment .. ..	5,793	7,166
726	Electric apparatus for medical purposes, etc. .. ..	291	470
729	Other electric machinery and apparatus .. ..	13,743	22,153
	<b>Total, Division 72</b> .. ..	<b>36,927</b>	<b>50,729</b>

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Division of group No.	Description	1969-70	1970-71p
73	<b>DIVISION 73.—TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT</b>		
731	Railway and tramway vehicles .. .. .	2,476	1,267
732	Road motor vehicles .. .. .	92,273	111,744
733	Road vehicles other than motor vehicles .. .. .	521	745
734	Aircraft and parts, n.e.s. .. .. .	27,804	20,439
735	Ships, boats and floating structures .. .. .	29,997	28,317
	<b>Total, Division 73 .. .. .</b>	<b>153,071</b>	<b>162,512</b>
81	<b>DIVISION 81.—SANITARY, PLUMBING, HEATING AND LIGHTING FIXTURES AND FITTINGS .. .. .</b>	<b>1,769</b>	<b>2,327</b>
82	<b>DIVISION 82.—FURNITURE .. .. .</b>	<b>1,355</b>	<b>1,719</b>
83	<b>DIVISION 83.—TRAVEL GOODS, HANDBAGS AND SIMILAR ARTICLES .. .. .</b>	<b>293</b>	<b>220</b>
84	<b>DIVISION 84.—CLOTHING, ACCESSORIES AND ARTICLES OF KNITTED OR CROCHETED FABRIC .. .. .</b>	<b>9,030</b>	<b>9,579</b>
85	<b>DIVISION 85.—FOOTWEAR, GAITERS AND SIMILAR ARTICLES .. .. .</b>	<b>761</b>	<b>975</b>
86	<b>DIVISION 86.—PROFESSIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CONTROLLING INSTRUMENTS; PHOTOGRAPHIC AND OPTICAL GOODS, WATCHES AND CLOCKS</b>		
861	Scientific, medical, optical, measuring and controlling instruments and apparatus .. .. .	12,204	16,952
862	Photographic and cinematographic supplies .. .. .	6,194	7,304
863	Cinematographic film, exposed and developed .. .. .	807	782
864	Watches and clocks and parts therefor .. .. .	901	1,472
	<b>Total, Division 86 .. .. .</b>	<b>20,106</b>	<b>26,510</b>
89	<b>DIVISION 89.—MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES, N.E.S.</b>		
891	Musical instruments, sound recorders and reproducers and parts and accessories therefor .. .. .	1,590	1,811
892	Printed matter .. .. .	7,505	9,032
893	Articles of artificial resins, plastics, etc. .. .. .	2,493	2,569
894	Perambulators, toys, games and sporting goods .. .. .	4,131	5,127
895	Office and stationery supplies, n.e.s. .. .. .	1,175	1,299
896	Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .. .. .	2,144	1,859
897	Jewellery and goldsmiths' and silversmiths' wares .. .. .	1,076	5,756
899	Manufactured articles, n.e.s. .. .. .	3,651	4,510
	<b>Total, Division 89 .. .. .</b>	<b>23,765</b>	<b>31,963</b>
9(A)	<b>DIVISION 9(A).—COMMODITIES AND TRANSACTIONS OF MERCHANDISE TRADE, NOT ELSEWHERE CLASSIFIED .. .. .</b>	<b>88,336</b>	<b>72,021</b>
	<b>TOTAL MERCHANDISE .. .. .</b>	<b>3,994,128</b>	<b>4,245,608</b>
9(B)	<b>DIVISION 9(B).—COMMODITIES AND TRANSACTIONS NOT INCLUDED IN MERCHANDISE TRADE .. .. .</b>	<b>137,415</b>	<b>133,387</b>
	<b>GRAND TOTAL .. .. .</b>	<b>4,131,543</b>	<b>4,378,995</b>

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Division or group No.	Description	1969-70	1970-71p
00	DIVISION 00.—LIVE ANIMALS	4,355	5,633
01	DIVISION 01.—MEAT AND MEAT PREPARATIONS		
	Meat—		
011	Fresh, chilled or frozen	203	446
012	Dried, salted or smoked	..	6
013	Canned or bottled	2,085	962
	Total, Division 01	2,288	1,414
02	DIVISION 02.—DAIRY PRODUCTS AND EGGS		
022	Milk and cream	158	190
023	Butter	1	..
024	Cheese and curd	5,394	5,665
025	Eggs	4	8
	Total, Division 02	5,757	5,863
03	DIVISION 03.—FISH AND FISH PREPARATIONS		
031	Fish, fresh and simply preserved	16,933	25,407
032	Fish, canned or bottled, n.e.s. and fish preparations	16,435	16,622
	Total, Division 03	33,368	42,029
04	DIVISION 04.—CEREAL GRAINS AND CEREAL PREPARATIONS		
041	Wheat and meslin, unmilled	..	..
042	Rice	353	107
043	Barley, unmilled	..	..
044	Maize, unmilled	183	143
045	Other cereals, unmilled	14	7
046	Meal and flour of wheat or meslin	8	9
047	Meal and flour of other cereal grains	7	10
048	Cereal preparations, etc.	4,182	5,121
	Total, Division 04	4,747	5,397
05	DIVISION 05.—FRUIT AND VEGETABLES		
051	Fruit, fresh and nuts	7,287	8,452
052	Dried fruit	1,161	990
053	Fruit preserved and fruit preparations	5,192	4,646
054	Vegetables, fresh, frozen or simply preserved	5,364	5,414
055	Vegetables, preserved or prepared, n.e.s.	4,851	5,937
	Total, Division 05	23,855	25,438
06	DIVISION 06.—SUGAR, SUGAR PREPARATIONS AND HONEY		
061	Sugar and honey	1,581	1,490
062	Sugar confectionery, etc.	1,421	1,525
	Total, Division 06	3,004	3,016
07	DIVISION 07.—COFFEE, TEA, COCOA, SPICES AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF		
071	Coffee	14,797	17,675
072	Cocoa	15,661	12,834
073	Chocolate and other cocoa preparations	948	1,148
074	Tea and maté	18,133	20,183
075	Spices	1,857	2,038
	Total, Division 07	51,396	53,878

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Division or group No.	Description	1969-70	1970-71p
08	DIVISION 08.—FEEDING-STUFF FOR ANIMALS .. .. .	6,882	9,613
09	DIVISION 09.—MISCELLANEOUS PREPARATIONS FOR FOOD		
091	Margarine, lard and other rendered fats .. .. .	28	30
099	Food preparations, n.e.s. .. .. .	4,171	5,410
	Total, Division 09 .. .. .	4,199	5,441
11	DIVISION 11.—BEVERAGES		
111	Non-alcoholic beverages, n.e.s. .. .. .	55	87
112	Alcoholic beverages .. .. .	16,414	20,402
	Total, Division 11 .. .. .	16,469	20,489
12	DIVISION 12.—TOBACCO AND TOBACCO MANUFACTURES		
121	Tobacco, unmanufactured .. .. .	24,160	20,751
122	Tobacco, manufactured .. .. .	7,815	8,874
	Total, Division 12 .. .. .	31,975	29,625
21	DIVISION 21.—HIDES, SKINS AND FUR SKINS, UNDRESSED		
211	Hides and skins, undressed .. .. .	478	381
212	Fur skins, undressed .. .. .	1,187	804
	Total, Division 21 .. .. .	1,664	1,185
22	DIVISION 22.—OIL-SEEDS, OIL NUTS AND OIL KERNELS ..	9,897	6,857
23	DIVISION 23.—CRUDE RUBBER .. .. .	30,111	23,218
24	DIVISION 24.—WOOD, TIMBER AND CORK		
241	Wood waste and charcoal .. .. .	18	16
242	Wood in the rough or roughly squared .. .. .	3,671	3,165
243	Wood, shaped or simply worked .. .. .	49,094	49,199
244	Cork, raw and waste .. .. .	295	406
	Total, Division 24 .. .. .	53,077	52,787
25	DIVISION 25.—PULP AND WASTE PAPER .. .. .	36,550	38,431
26	DIVISION 26.—TEXTILE FIBRES AND THEIR WASTE		
261	Silk .. .. .	1	1
262	Wool and other animal hair .. .. .	8,077	9,116
263	Cotton .. .. .	3,435	4,702
264	Jute .. .. .	1,595	1,578
265	Vegetable fibres, except cotton and jute .. .. .	3,447	3,217
266	Synthetic regenerated fibres .. .. .	17,117	18,372
267	Waste materials from textile fabrics .. .. .	143	109
	Total, Division 26 .. .. .	33,815	37,094
27	DIVISION 27.—CRUDE FERTILIZERS AND CRUDE MINERALS		
271	Fertilisers, crude .. .. .	28,414	22,513
273	Stone, sand and gravel .. .. .	1,202	1,559
274	Sulphur and unroasted iron pyrites .. .. .	10,988	4,906
275	Natural abrasives (including industrial diamonds) ..	4,243	3,740
276	Other crude minerals .. .. .	16,143	19,195
	Total, Division 27 .. .. .	60,989	51,912

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Division or group No.	Description	1969-70	1970-71p
28	<b>DIVISION 28.—METALLIFEROUS ORES AND METAL SCRAP</b>		
281	Iron ore and concentrates .. .. .	12	32
282	Iron and steel waste and scrap .. .. .	700	115
283	Ores and concentrates of non-ferrous base metals .. .. .	3,541	5,414
284	Non-ferrous metal waste and scrap, n.e.s. . . . .	3,501	2,314
285	Silver and platinum ores .. .. .	123	96
286	Ores and concentrates of uranium and thorium .. .. .	..	..
	<b>Total, Division 28 .. .. .</b>	<b>7,877</b>	<b>7,971</b>
29	<b>DIVISION 29.—CRUDE ANIMAL AND VEGETABLE MATERIALS, N.E.S.</b>		
291	Crude animal materials, n.e.s. .. .. .	5,672	7,095
292	Crude vegetable materials n.e.s. .. .. .	7,593	8,169
	<b>Total, Division 29 .. .. .</b>	<b>13,265</b>	<b>15,265</b>
32	<b>DIVISION 32.—COAL, COKE AND BRIQUETTES.. .. .</b>	<b>804</b>	<b>783</b>
33	<b>DIVISION 33.—PETROLEUM AND PETROLEUM PRODUCTS</b>		
331	Petroleum, crude and partly refined .. .. .	202,663	121,325
332	Petroleum products .. .. .	51,727	67,387
	<b>Total, Division 33 .. .. .</b>	<b>254,390</b>	<b>188,712</b>
34	<b>DIVISION 34.— PETROLEUM GASES AND OTHER GASEOUS HYDRO CARBONS .. .. .</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>48</b>
41	<b>DIVISION 41.—ANIMAL OILS AND FATS .. .. .</b>	<b>893</b>	<b>1,177</b>
42	<b>DIVISION 42.—FIXED VEGETABLE OILS AND FATS</b>		
421	Soft .. .. .	8,985	8,442
422	Other than soft .. .. .	3,547	5,991
	<b>Total, Division 42 .. .. .</b>	<b>12,532</b>	<b>14,433</b>
43	<b>DIVISION 43.—ANIMAL AND VEGETABLE OILS, FATS AND WAXES .. .. .</b>	<b>2,174</b>	<b>2,077</b>
51	<b>DIVISION 51.—CHEMICAL ELEMENTS AND COMPOUNDS</b>		
512	Organic chemicals .. .. .	82,833	99,321
513	Inorganic chemicals, elements, metallic oxides, etc. .. .. .	16,786	21,341
514	Other inorganic chemicals .. .. .	17,071	19,601
515	Radioactive and associated materials .. .. .	763	1,344
	<b>Total, Division 51 .. .. .</b>	<b>117,454</b>	<b>141,607</b>
52	<b>DIVISION 52.—MINERAL TAR AND CRUDE CHEMICALS FROM COAL, PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS .. .. .</b>	<b>2,162</b>	<b>3,215</b>
53	<b>DIVISION 53.— DYEING, TANNING AND COLOURING MATERIALS</b>		
531	Synthetic organic dyestuffs, natural indigo, etc. .. .. .	13,271	15,501
532	Dyeing and tanning extracts, synthetic tanning materials .. .. .	1,559	1,224
533	Pigments, paints and varnishes, etc. .. .. .	7,534	8,534
	<b>Total, Division 53 .. .. .</b>	<b>22,364</b>	<b>25,260</b>
54	<b>DIVISION 54.—MEDICINAL AND PHARMACEUTICAL PRODUCTS .. .. .</b>	<b>51,220</b>	<b>58,935</b>
55	<b>DIVISION 55.—ESSENTIAL OILS, PERFUME MATERIALS, TOILET AND POLISHING PREPARATIONS</b>		
551	Essential oils, perfume and flavour materials .. .. .	7,337	6,822
553	Perfumery and cosmetics, toilet preparations .. .. .	4,404	4,628
554	Soaps, cleansing and polishing preparations .. .. .	4,764	6,754
	<b>Total, Division 55 .. .. .</b>	<b>16,505</b>	<b>18,203</b>

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Division or group No.	Description	1969-70	1970-71p
56	DIVISION 56.—FERTILISERS, MANUFACTURED .. ..	7,209	6,822
57	DIVISION 57.—EXPLOSIVES AND PYROTECHNIC PRODUCTS ..	4,922	6,668
58	DIVISION 58.—PLASTIC MATERIALS, REGENERATED CELLULOSE AND ARTIFICIAL RESINS .. ..	91,161	89,979
59	DIVISION 59.—CHEMICAL MATERIALS AND PRODUCTS, N.E.S. ..	49,726	58,856
61	DIVISION 61.—LEATHER, LEATHER MANUFACTURES, N.E.S. AND DRESSED FUR SKINS .. ..		
611	Leather .. ..	5,462	4,326
612	Manufactures of leather or artificial leather, etc., n.e.s. ..	1,273	1,382
613	Fur skins, tanned or dressed (including dyed) .. ..	597	575
	Total, Division 61 .. ..	7,332	6,282
62	DIVISION 62.—RUBBER MANUFACTURES, N.E.S. .. ..		
621	Materials of rubber .. ..	8,077	8,278
629	Articles of rubber, n.e.s. .. ..	33,917	51,519
	Total, Division 62 .. ..	41,995	59,797
63	DIVISION 63.—WOOD AND CORK MANUFACTURES (EXCEPT FURNITURE)		
631	Veneers, plywood boards, 'improved' or reconstituted wood, etc.	9,024	10,336
632	Wood manufactures, n.e.s. .. ..	4,967	5,275
633	Cork manufactures .. ..	1,399	1,666
	Total, Division 63 .. ..	15,391	17,277
64	DIVISION 64.—PAPER, PAPERBOARD AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF		
641	Paper and paperboard .. ..	97,952	108,987
642	Articles, made of paper pulp, paper or paperboard .. ..	9,847	10,999
	Total, Division 64 .. ..	107,799	119,985
65	DIVISION 65.—TEXTILE YARN, FABRICS, MADE-UP ARTICLES AND RELATED PRODUCTS .. ..		
651	Textile yarn and thread .. ..	42,771	49,141
652	Woven cotton fabrics (except narrow or special fabrics) ..	85,635	85,196
653	Textile fabrics (except narrow or special fabrics) other than woven cotton .. ..	65,908	76,367
654	Tulle, lace, etc., and other small wares .. ..	9,433	7,638
655	Special textile fabrics and related products .. ..	22,086	25,661
656	Made-up articles, wholly or chiefly of textile materials, n.e.s. ..	29,059	26,668
657	Floor coverings, tapestries, etc. .. ..	32,432	30,891
	Total, Division 65 .. ..	287,324	301,563
66	DIVISION 66.—NON-METALLIC MINERAL MANUFACTURES, N.E.S. ..		
661	Lime, cement and fabricated building materials .. ..	2,355	3,117
662	Clay and refractory construction materials .. ..	11,492	11,672
663	Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s. .. ..	12,140	11,398
664	Glass .. ..	19,240	21,798
665	Glassware .. ..	14,168	16,194
666	Pottery .. ..	11,125	11,906
667	Pearls and precious and semi-precious stones .. ..	7,748	10,137
	Total, Division 66 .. ..	78,267	86,223

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Division or group No.	Description	1969-70	1970-71p
67	<b>DIVISION 67.—IRON AND STEEL</b>		
671	Pig iron, spiegeleisen, sponge iron, etc. .. ..	14,018	13,144
672	Ingots and other primary forms of iron or steel .. ..	1,852	3,878
673	Iron and steel bars, rods, etc. .. ..	12,012	28,408
674	Universals, plates and sheets, of iron or steel .. ..	28,155	41,315
675	Hoop and strip of iron or steel .. ..	7,627	8,330
676	Railway and tramway track construction material .. ..	76	5,446
677	Iron and steel wire (except wire rod) .. ..	4,512	5,167
678	Tubes, pipes and fittings of iron or steel .. ..	26,847	32,625
679	Iron and steel castings and forgings, unworked, n.e.s. .. ..	187	265
	<b>Total, Division 67</b> .. ..	<b>95,286</b>	<b>138,576</b>
68	<b>DIVISION 68.—NON-FERROUS METALS</b>		
681	Silver and alloys and platinum and platinum group metals .. ..	1,288	2,464
682	Copper and copper alloys .. ..	5,072	6,761
683	Nickel and nickel alloys, n.e.s. .. ..	8,835	9,936
684	Aluminium and aluminium alloys .. ..	5,497	4,895
685	Lead and lead alloys .. ..	102	62
686	Zinc and zinc alloys .. ..	70	121
687	Tin and tin alloys .. ..	457	448
688	Uranium and thorium and their alloys .. ..	2	..
689	Miscellaneous non-ferrous base metals and their alloys .. ..	3,192	3,179
	<b>Total, Division 68</b> .. ..	<b>24,515</b>	<b>27,865</b>
69	<b>DIVISION 69.—MANUFACTURES OF METALS, N.E.S.</b> .. ..		
691	Finished structural parts and structures, n.e.i. .. ..	1,835	2,815
692	Metal containers for storage and transport .. ..	1,967	1,829
693	Wire products (except insulated electric cable) and fencing grills .. ..	4,324	3,691
694	Nails, screws, nuts, etc., of iron, steel or copper .. ..	7,953	9,701
695	Tools for use in the hand or machine .. ..	28,820	38,643
696	Cutlery .. ..	11,316	12,353
697	Household equipment of base metals .. ..	8,079	7,506
698	Manufactures of metal, n.e.s. .. ..	30,356	32,893
	<b>Total, Division 69</b> .. ..	<b>94,650</b>	<b>109,432</b>
71	<b>DIVISION 71.—MACHINERY (EXCEPT ELECTRIC)</b>		
711	Power generating machinery (except electric) .. ..	115,549	125,648
712	Agricultural machinery, implements and parts .. ..	44,621	28,021
714	Office machines .. ..	106,181	122,329
715	Metalworking machinery .. ..	39,941	49,096
717	Textile and leather machinery .. ..	44,325	41,470
718	Machines for special industries .. ..	133,343	155,181
719	Machinery and appliances, non-electrical and parts, n.e.s. .. ..	224,868	267,589
	<b>Total, Division 71</b> .. ..	<b>708,828</b>	<b>789,533</b>
72	<b>DIVISION 72.—ELECTRIC MACHINERY, APPARATUS AND APPLIANCES</b>		
722	Electric power machinery and switchgear .. ..	79,552	90,151
723	Equipment for distributing electricity .. ..	11,312	13,515
724	Telecommunications apparatus .. ..	57,363	55,822
725	Domestic electric equipment .. ..	18,432	26,143
726	Electric apparatus for medical purposes, etc. .. ..	3,569	5,205
729	Other electric machinery and apparatus .. ..	81,140	90,625
	<b>Total, Division 72</b> .. ..	<b>251,367</b>	<b>281,461</b>

**Total imports—continued**  
(*\$'000 f.o.b. port of shipment*)

Division or group No.	Description	1969-70	1970-71p
73	<b>DIVISION 73.—TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT</b>		
731	Railway and tramway vehicles .. .. .	6,071	14,047
732	Road motor vehicles .. .. .	340,100	366,143
733	Road vehicles other than motor vehicles .. .. .	6,527	6,469
734	Aircraft and parts, n.e.s. .. .. .	127,265	159,142
735	Ships, boats and floating structures .. .. .	87,531	26,962
	<b>Total, Division 73 .. .. .</b>	<b>567,496</b>	<b>572,764</b>
81	<b>DIVISION 81.—SANITARY, PLUMBING, HEATING AND LIGHTING FIXTURES AND FITTINGS .. .. .</b>	<b>5,664</b>	<b>6,147</b>
82	<b>DIVISION 82.—FURNITURE .. .. .</b>	<b>5,463</b>	<b>6,314</b>
83	<b>DIVISION 83.—TRAVEL GOODS, HANDBAGS AND SIMILAR ARTICLES .. .. .</b>	<b>5,740</b>	<b>6,649</b>
84	<b>DIVISION 84.—CLOTHING, ACCESSORIES AND ARTICLES OF KNITTED OR CROCHETED FABRIC .. .. .</b>		
841	Clothing and accessories (except of fur clothing), etc. .. .. .	34,217	40,593
842	Fur clothing (except headgear), etc. .. .. .	169	135
	<b>Total, Division 84 .. .. .</b>	<b>34,385</b>	<b>40,728</b>
85	<b>DIVISION 85.—FOOTWEAR, GAITERS AND SIMILAR ARTICLES .. .. .</b>	<b>15,481</b>	<b>16,855</b>
86	<b>DIVISION 86.—PROFESSIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CONTROLLING INSTRU- MENTS; PHOTOGRAPHIC AND OPTICAL GOODS, WATCHES AND CLOCKS .. .. .</b>		
861	Scientific, medical, optical, measuring and controlling instru- ments and apparatus .. .. .	80,254	93,814
862	Photographic and cinematographic supplies .. .. .	20,156	24,381
863	Cinematographic film, exposed and developed .. .. .	4,446	4,027
864	Watches, clocks and parts thereof .. .. .	15,857	16,727
	<b>Total, Division 86 .. .. .</b>	<b>120,711</b>	<b>138,949</b>
89	<b>DIVISION 89.—MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES, N.E.S.</b>		
891	Musical instruments, recorders and reproducers, etc. .. .. .	29,647	33,669
892	Printed matter .. .. .	61,466	68,405
893	Articles of artificial re.ms, plastics, etc. .. .. .	10,549	12,327
894	Perambulators, toys, games and sporting goods .. .. .	21,782	25,977
895	Office and stationery supplies, n.e.s. .. .. .	7,529	7,844
896	Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .. .. .	4,624	7,447
897	Jewellery and goldsmiths' and silversmiths' wares .. .. .	6,385	7,420
899	Manufactured articles, n.e.s. .. .. .	20,235	24,658
	<b>Total, Division 89 .. .. .</b>	<b>162,218</b>	<b>187,747</b>
9(A)	<b>DIVISION 9(A).—COMMODITIES AND TRANSACTIONS OF MERCHANDISE TRADE NOT ELSEWHERE CLASSIFIED .. .. .</b>		
911	Postal packages not classified according to kind .. .. .	3,348	3,028
931	Special transactions not classified according to kind .. .. .	102,761	101,866
941	Animals, n.e.s. (including zoo animals) .. .. .	35	42
951	Firearms of war and ammunition therefor .. .. .	17,464	20,219
961	Coin (other than gold) not being legal tender .. .. .	3	20
	<b>Total, Division 9(A) .. .. .</b>	<b>123,611</b>	<b>125,174</b>
	<b>TOTAL MERCHANDISE .. .. .</b>	<b>3,822,623</b>	<b>4,098,652</b>
9(B)	<b>DIVISION 9(B).—COMMODITIES AND TRANSACTIONS NOT INCLUDED IN MERCHANDISE TRADE .. .. .</b>	<b>58,604</b>	<b>51,387</b>
	<b>GRAND TOTAL .. .. .</b>	<b>3,881,227</b>	<b>4,150,039</b>

## SPECIFIED PRODUCTS OF AUSTRALIAN ORIGIN EXPORTED FROM AUSTRALIA

Period	Meats				Milk and cream		Butter (a)	Cheese and curd	Fish, fresh and simply preserved
	Bovine animals	Sheep, lambs and goats	Edible offals	Canned or bottled	Evapor- ated or condensed	Dried			
QUANTITY									
Year—	'000 lb	'000 lb	'000 lb	'000 lb	'000 lb	'000 lb	'000 lb	'000 lb	'000 lb
1965-66 ..	612,950	213,475	55,080	55,633	59,124	63,020	186,366	55,777	21,225
1966-67 ..	578,603	212,286	53,839	55,678	51,854	149,104	230,210	57,195	18,515
1967-68 ..	564,250	254,477	52,853	51,837	26,370	123,493	172,453	76,036	21,550
1968-69 ..	564,547	234,349	54,622	43,790	24,518	129,469	165,501	56,096	20,849
1969-70 ..	722,901	394,159	74,384	48,178	26,352	173,402	218,164	90,037	25,162
1970-71p ..	752,656	387,641	72,168	66,540	23,156	179,650	196,801	84,429	34,019

VALUE (\$'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)									
Year—									
1965-66 ..	195,532	45,664	13,362	14,587	7,327	10,666	57,675	13,470	23,807
1966-67 ..	198,311	43,642	12,850	18,452	6,531	23,001	64,841	15,262	23,249
1967-68 ..	198,630	49,984	10,576	15,790	3,311	18,650	46,976	17,933	31,229
1968-69 ..	211,012	45,711	10,882	13,979	2,902	16,073	40,523	13,872	34,576
1969-70 ..	292,128	81,747	18,875	16,819	3,103	19,408	52,459	19,570	36,782
1970-71p ..	305,091	74,562	18,202	27,620	2,947	23,159	48,055	19,058	51,110

Period	Wheat	Rice	Barley	Oats	Flour (wheaten) plain white	Malt, roasted or not	Fresh fruit		
							Oranges, etc.	Apples	Pears and quinces
QUANTITY									
Year—	tons	tons	tons	tons	'000 lb	'000 lb	'000 lb	'000 lb	'000 lb
1965-66	5,075,344	63,507	223,089	246,880	781,458	187,105	58,103	351,244	94,000
1966-67	6,403,160	88,573	417,814	395,243	713,306	209,411	57,338	288,819	64,629
1967-68	6,395,852	100,427	127,246	179,152	760,454	186,742	52,368	277,814	68,933
1968-69	4,813,574	109,465	443,551	328,096	699,175	158,833	66,597	287,135	46,652
1969-70	6,777,309	126,723	627,042	215,820	657,666	204,119	46,449	296,806	81,325
1970-71p	8,952,938	101,179	1,105,292	547,119	612,451	328,830	58,295	313,651	75,881

VALUE (\$'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)									
Year—									
1965-66 ..	264,062	8,075	11,508	11,980	24,753	9,295	3,685	25,863	7,464
1966-67 ..	361,227	11,531	21,569	17,450	23,074	10,543	3,691	18,280	4,800
1967-68 ..	342,767	13,958	6,569	8,407	23,534	9,362	3,485	17,368	5,443
1968-69 ..	258,334	15,697	18,246	13,042	21,807	7,628	4,294	19,964	4,107
1969-70 ..	337,570	17,103	22,766	7,559	21,185	8,894	3,085	20,410	6,486
1970-71p ..	434,027	13,220	50,820	23,826	19,741	15,437	3,614	21,913	6,405

(a) Includes ghee.

## Specified Products of Australian Origin Exported from Australia—continued

Period	Fruit			Sugar, from cane	Coffee, tea, etc.	Gluten, gluten flour	Wine of fresh grapes	Beer, from malt	Tobacco
	Dried	Jams, etc.	Canned or bottled						
QUANTITY									
Year—	'000 lb	'000 lb	'000 lb	tons	'000 lb	'000 lb	'000 gal	'000 gal	'000 lb
1965-66 ..	192,927	10,346	309,319	1,252,543	4,459	7,337	1,957	1,628	838
1966-67 ..	160,049	8,731	329,376	1,637,742	10,439	12,608	1,777	1,907	819
1967-68 ..	159,158	10,061	429,194	1,596,711	5,162	15,019	1,845	2,454	1,144
1968-69 ..	143,177	7,335	314,787	2,029,134	5,267	21,954	1,804	1,716	1,042
1969-70 ..	102,096	6,036	296,561	1,364,247	8,798	24,815	1,295	2,068	1,653
1970-71p ..	137,282	6,159	329,896	1,546,372	11,078	29,374	1,444	2,775	3,114

Year—	VALUE (\$'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)								
	'000 lb	'000 lb	'000 lb	tons	'000 lb	'000 lb	'000 gal	'000 gal	'000 lb
1965-66 ..	28,442	1,504	37,763	93,918	1,822	1,238	3,535	1,435	1,443
1966-67 ..	23,185	1,227	40,760	99,485	3,701	2,038	3,175	1,610	1,534
1967-68 ..	22,790	1,463	51,320	97,534	1,924	2,407	3,165	2,158	1,995
1968-69 ..	21,599	1,104	38,593	122,208	1,946	3,437	3,399	1,496	1,666
1969-70 ..	16,078	909	37,949	116,108	3,255	3,989	2,913	1,815	2,334
1970-71p ..	20,049	1,032	43,590	149,637	4,394	5,135	3,583	2,438	3,919

Period	Ores and concentrates								
	Iron (except pyrites)	Copper	Copper matte	Lead	Zinc	Tin	Man- ganese	Titanium	Zirconium
QUANTITY									
Year—	'000 tons	tons	cwt	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
1965-66 ..	338	41,960	108,775	118,253	243,844	2,020	69,032	623,657	220,996
1966-67 ..	5,468	38,310	110,366	108,994	250,499	2,559	271,524	626,882	233,396
1967-68 ..	12,326	47,256	120,844	113,498	311,437	3,886	393,725	669,861	250,906
1968-69 ..	20,072	41,073	73,557	111,145	334,817	6,387	629,531	781,311	295,989
1969-70 ..	33,244	64,082	105,300	119,468	430,216	7,002	638,685	930,578	345,555
1970-71p ..	48,248	138,002	135,249	81,784	377,424	6,243	681,224	1,014,268	367,424

Year—	VALUE (\$'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)								
	'000 tons	tons	cwt	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
1965-66 ..	2,705	7,534	2,999	21,337	16,854	2,573	1,608	20,874	8,202
1966-67 ..	46,013	8,902	2,899	19,439	17,421	3,357	6,421	21,907	10,174
1967-68 ..	103,070	10,098	3,334	22,047	21,305	5,237	7,901	24,847	10,468
1968-69 ..	179,515	9,769	1,806	21,605	22,235	8,959	11,837	28,073	11,952
1969-70 ..	277,810	14,620	3,299	23,320	30,503	10,393	11,551	36,239	13,389
1970-71p ..	374,260	32,031	2,685	15,535	25,502	7,636	12,748	43,374	14,580

Specified Products of Australian Origin Exported from Australia—*continued*

Period	Hides and skins			Iron and steel scrap, etc.	Petroleum products		
	Bovine, equine hides	Calf and kip	Sheep and lamb		Motor spirit	Kerosene, etc.	Distillate fuels
QUANTITY							
Year—	'000 lb	'000 lb	'000 lb	tons	'000 gal	'000 gal	'000 gal
1965-66 ..	110,019	6,658	202,206	265,062	17,091	22,759	n.a.
1966-67 ..	112,058	8,121	198,735	403,128	48,198	18,776	103,510
1967-68 ..	104,712	7,355	206,578	423,148	74,205	36,968	56,537
1968-69 ..	113,033	6,833	218,625	481,982	63,539	23,717	48,291
1969-70 ..	139,337	3,743	247,343	520,897	56,389	40,372	67,066
1970-71p ..	154,022	4,640	295,269	466,706	67,262	64,457	103,429

VALUE  
(\$'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Year—							
1965-66 ..	17,914	2,821	64,204	8,211	2,222	2,399	n.a.
1966-67 ..	18,013	3,086	63,012	12,143	5,433	2,211	8,415
1967-68 ..	12,309	2,377	46,291	12,141	8,913	4,335	4,973
1968-69 ..	14,419	3,173	56,277	11,751	6,890	2,888	4,225
1969-70 ..	20,254	1,663	63,656	17,031	5,979	4,326	5,408
1970-71p ..	19,512	1,268	49,273	17,411	7,662	7,178	8,517

Period	Paper and paperboard			Yarns			Fig. cast iron
	Uncoated	Building board	Parchment, greaseproof, etc.	Sheep or lambs <sup>a</sup>	Continuous synthetic fibres(a)	Continuous regenerated fibres(b)	
QUANTITY							
Year—	tons	'000 sq ft	tons	lb	lb	lb	tons
1965-66 ..	11,984	80,755	1,040	316,139	1,406,079	..	49,831
1966-67 ..	16,692	72,319	2,035	303,366	528,723	3,592	129,751
1967-68 ..	13,143	83,792	920	143,706	734,606	19,716	182,929
1968-69 ..	12,242	94,737	480	126,171	1,950,094	135,689	346,183
1969-70 ..	15,823	102,974	327	164,368	1,772,546	817,601	285,824
1970-71p ..	14,578	128,647	702	296,225	3,327,965	5,706	383,209

VALUE  
(\$'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Year—							
1965-66 ..	2,759	1,773	376	580	1,534	..	2,326
1966-67 ..	3,820	1,736	631	521	635	8	5,208
1967-68 ..	3,165	1,884	346	255	862	25	7,292
1968-69 ..	2,936	1,988	210	114	1,718	94	13,105
1969-70 ..	3,862	2,137	135	195	2,064	587	14,997
1970-71p ..	3,948	2,752	324	349	3,184	12	21,566

(a) Includes continuous regenerated fibres for year 1965-66, year 1965-66.

(b) Included in continuous synthetic fibres for

## Specified Products of Australian Origin Exported from Australia—continued

Period	Wool		Iron and steel					
	Greasy	Scoured	Ingot	Bars, rods, etc.	Universal plates, etc.	Hoop and strip	Wire (except wire rod)	Tubes, pipes, etc.
QUANTITY								
Year—	mill. lb	'000 lb	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt
1965-66 ..	1,323	122,889	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1966-67 ..	1,367	112,073	9,855,744	4,493,807	7,065,351	204,325	314,724	1,073,379
1967-68 ..	1,390	123,587	8,547,039	3,345,922	4,647,130	396,609	284,472	1,104,726
1968-69 ..	1,468	118,228	10,614,813	4,908,129	4,871,036	345,285	428,975	920,552
1969-70 ..	1,570	118,931	9,516,432	3,345,484	7,044,084	245,985	763,706	1,449,547
1970-71p ..	1,434	99,942	2,343,054	2,038,084	4,265,953	173,955	326,375	1,216,730

VALUE  
(\$'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Year—								
1965-66 ..	699,774	85,070	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1966-67 ..	726,310	80,141	28,419	19,930	41,353	1,104	2,665	8,864
1967-68 ..	643,275	72,456	24,303	15,731	28,833	2,329	2,346	8,819
1968-69 ..	717,014	78,493	31,653	21,735	28,893	1,944	3,067	7,793
1969-70 ..	683,545	77,498	33,664	18,091	46,176	1,692	5,163	12,220
1970-71p ..	493,336	50,777	9,794	13,636	30,668	1,552	3,042	12,741

Period	Copper and copper alloys			Unworked aluminium alloys	Lead, lead alloys		Coal	Zinc, zinc alloys
	Unrefined	Refined	Bars, rods, sheet, etc.		Bullion	Unworked a.s.i.		

## QUANTITY

Year—	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	'000 tons	cwt
1965-66 ..	110,982	356,619	444,686	375,554	1,782,436	3,196,214	7,654	2,005,630
1966-67 ..	154,677	72,157	176,228	376,276	1,618,308	3,042,902	8,805	2,289,420
1967-68 ..	130,665	249,700	150,175	138,715	2,135,191	1,020,844	10,200	1,799,017
1968-69 ..	156,205	521,153	236,215	164,529	2,526,952	2,308,302	13,800	2,337,247
1969-70 ..	160,235	761,320	261,256	1,005,992	3,341,488	3,206,925	17,345	3,066,722
1970-71p ..	139,857	709,528	279,696	1,568,052	3,539,487	2,428,514	18,567	2,733,404

VALUE  
(\$'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Year—								
1965-66 ..	7,467	19,969	21,107	8,109	25,918	40,333	63,132	27,379
1966-67 ..	11,974	3,371	9,813	8,742	20,445	32,943	71,824	28,835
1967-68 ..	8,974	13,217	7,341	3,321	31,052	30,919	85,054	21,168
1968-69 ..	10,080	27,346	12,018	4,304	39,262	24,997	116,818	27,712
1969-70 ..	13,335	54,803	17,349	23,206	60,461	43,285	164,330	39,140
1970-71p ..	9,243	35,560	15,757	35,962	56,455	29,053	192,567	36,397

**VALUE OF TOTAL EXPORTS ACCORDING TO COUNTRIES**  
(\$'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Country of consignment	1969-70	1970-71p
Belgium-Luxembourg	42,863	42,265
Burma	3,802	2,790
Canada	112,773	106,164
Ceylon	14,718	14,355
Chile	4,422	10,336
China (mainland)	125,815	63,281
China, Republic of (Taiwan)	29,912	39,995
Christmas Island	2,461	2,091
Czechoslovakia	8,745	5,422
Denmark	4,060	3,627
Fiji	19,894	24,698
France	114,640	103,105
Germany (East)	1,677	15,012
Germany, Federal Republic of	115,557	131,565
Greece	10,253	14,603
Hong Kong	84,718	90,476
India	40,237	38,011
Indonesia	35,266	39,058
Iran	14,794	25,484
Iraq	3,947	25,075
Ireland	5,207	4,197
Italy	105,961	71,319
Jamaica	5,750	6,054
Japan	1,021,446	1,187,590
Kenya	4,930	5,136
Korea, Republic of	12,371	9,677
Kuwait	9,084	12,572
Lebanon	4,744	4,153
Malaysia	68,525	66,537
Malta	2,818	3,445
Mauritius	4,001	3,700
Mexico	12,975	9,420
Mozambique	13,789	6,217
Nauru	4,035	5,339
Netherlands	71,542	55,887
New Caledonia	20,746	28,744
New Hebrides	4,793	5,736
New Zealand	198,872	232,825
Norway	6,201	11,194
Okinawa	10,054	6,287
Pakistan	16,394	16,112
Papua and New Guinea	147,298	163,445
Peru	11,671	10,545
Philippines	55,890	40,957
Poland	20,108	12,792
Rhodesia	3,041	4,454
Saudi Arabia	10,385	14,466
Singapore	98,469	118,455
South Africa	64,860	86,133
Spain	18,136	9,835
Sudan	4,670	12,436
Sweden	9,635	12,582
Switzerland	3,456	7,062
Thailand	29,117	32,294
Trinidad and Tobago	3,431	2,985
Turkey	11,293	8,046
United Arab Republic	6,883	59,274
United Kingdom	488,230	488,016
United States of America	556,431	523,624
U.S.S.R.	51,438	62,656
Vietnam, Republic of	23,193	15,117
Yugoslavia	17,062	22,140
Other Countries	95,023	106,174
'For orders' (including destination unknown)	7,031	15,953
<b>Total, all countries</b>	<b>4,131,543</b>	<b>4,378,995</b>

VALUE OF TOTAL IMPORTS ACCORDING TO COUNTRIES  
(\$'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Country of origin	1969-70	1970-71p
Austria .. .. .	9,256	12,351
Bahrain .. .. .	18,157	21,581
Belgium-Luxembourg .. .. .	29,120	27,725
Brazil .. .. .	7,100	9,796
Brunei .. .. .	14,452	7,061
Canada .. .. .	151,031	166,605
Ceylon .. .. .	11,321	12,071
Chile .. .. .	1,462	2,513
China (mainland) .. .. .	32,082	31,574
China, Republic of (Taiwan) .. .. .	15,869	22,846
Christmas Island .. .. .	8,393	6,507
Czechoslovakia .. .. .	7,610	6,285
Denmark .. .. .	10,976	12,306
Fiji .. .. .	5,010	3,989
Finland .. .. .	17,724	20,158
France .. .. .	70,059	74,222
Germany (East) .. .. .	4,490	4,329
Germany, Federal Republic of .. .. .	258,275	295,674
Ghana .. .. .	8,735	9,401
Gilbert and Ellice Islands .. .. .	3,721	3,299
Greece .. .. .	9,180	5,795
Hong Kong .. .. .	54,022	61,116
India .. .. .	31,839	32,203
Indonesia .. .. .	48,882	22,522
Iran .. .. .	12,770	13,382
Iraq .. .. .	10,898	13,445
Ireland .. .. .	5,450	5,694
Israel .. .. .	4,944	5,081
Italy .. .. .	77,378	86,159
Japan .. .. .	481,203	573,306
Kenya .. .. .	1,410	1,869
Korea, Republic of .. .. .	2,183	5,758
Kuwait .. .. .	45,661	35,036
Malaysia .. .. .	34,922	32,749
Mexico .. .. .	5,928	1,598
Nauru .. .. .	15,466	12,102
Netherlands .. .. .	59,981	69,327
New Zealand .. .. .	86,435	95,237
Norway .. .. .	10,226	11,318
Pakistan .. .. .	18,953	14,555
Papua and New Guinea .. .. .	21,631	22,626
Philippines .. .. .	4,294	4,965
Poland .. .. .	2,981	3,511
Portugal .. .. .	2,985	3,662
Qatar .. .. .	21,350	8,812
Saudi Arabia .. .. .	42,099	23,575
Singapore .. .. .	14,031	23,277
South Africa .. .. .	21,631	20,351
South Yemen, Peoples' Republic of .. .. .	7,325	5,539
Spain .. .. .	13,112	17,778
Sweden .. .. .	59,136	75,999
Switzerland .. .. .	59,004	62,950
Tanzania .. .. .	3,377	2,772
Thailand .. .. .	2,687	3,919
Trucial States .. .. .	13,038	5,819
Uganda .. .. .	5,622	4,474
United Arab Republic .. .. .	4,083	2,735
United Kingdom .. .. .	845,344	887,253
United States of America .. .. .	965,245	1,041,877
U.S.S.R. .. .. .	3,475	2,204
Other countries (including origin unknown) .. .. .	66,203	77,396
Total, all countries .. .. .	3,881,227	4,150,039

## CUSTOMS AND EXCISE REVENUE: AUSTRALIA

(\$'000)

Customs tariff division and excise tariff item	1969-70	1970-71p
<b>GROSS CUSTOMS—</b>		
1 Live animals; animal products	1,236	1,265
2 Vegetable products	2,913	2,001
3 Animal and vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal and vegetable waxes	2,780	2,523
4 Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco	60,816	64,860
5 Mineral products(a)	9,732	14,597
6 Products of the chemical industry and allied industries	16,164	18,179
7 Artificial resins and plastic materials, cellulose esters and ethers, and articles thereof; rubber, synthetic rubbers, factice, and articles thereof	22,298	24,305
8 Raw hides and skins, leather, furskins and articles; saddlery, harness; travel goods, handbags, etc.; articles of gut (other than silk-worm)	3,588	3,926
9 Wood and articles; wood charcoal; cork and articles; manufactures of straw esparto and other plaiting materials; basketware and work	8,861	9,405
10 Paper-making material; paper and paper-board articles thereof	11,945	12,457
11 Textiles and textile articles	54,631	61,775
12 Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, etc., and parts; prepared feathers and articles; artificial flowers; articles of human hair; fans	9,858	10,599
13 Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica, etc.; ceramic products; glass, glassware	11,813	11,838
14 Pearls, precious and semi-precious stones, precious metals, rolled precious metals, and articles thereof; imitation jewellery; coin	1,951	2,114
15 Base metals and articles of base metal	31,044	38,229
16 Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts thereof	100,148	113,440
17 Vehicles, aircraft, and parts; vessels and associated equipment	62,291	74,644
18 Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, medical and surgical instruments; clocks, musical instruments; sound recorders and reproducers; television; parts	16,186	17,367
19 Arms and ammunition; parts	479	512
20 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	11,480	12,252
21 Works of art, collectors' pieces, antiques; miscellaneous (including revenue on goods for which a Customs entry is not required and on concessional items in the Second Schedule); additional duty collected on post entries	5,370	7,396
<b>Total gross customs duties(a)</b>	<b>445,586</b>	<b>503,686</b>
<b>Primage</b>	<b>6,781</b>	<b>7,096</b>
<b>Total gross customs and primage duties(a)</b>	<b>452,367</b>	<b>510,782</b>
<b>GROSS EXCISE—</b>		
Beer	370,456	382,900
Spirits, including liqueurs, etc.	26,368	26,022
Tobacco (manufactured)	14,848	15,553
Cigars and cigarettes	231,012	257,254
Petroleum products(a)	296,823	367,319
Playing cards	136	135
Cigarette tubes, paper and papers	814	859
Matches	2,376	2,290
Grape wine for commercial purposes(b)	1,158	1,436
Coal	315	333
Canned fruit	1,814	—419
Other and undistributed excise revenue		
<b>Total gross excise duties(a)</b>	<b>946,320</b>	<b>1,062,933</b>
<b>Total gross customs primage and excise duties(a)</b>	<b>1,398,687</b>	<b>1,573,715</b>
<b>Less: refunds and drawbacks paid</b>	<b>39,333</b>	<b>45,863</b>
<b>Credit to Commonwealth Government departments for duty paid(a)</b>	<b>6,485</b>	<b>8,231</b>
<b>Total net customs primage and excise duties</b>	<b>1,352,869</b>	<b>1,519,621</b>

(a) Duty is included in the price of petroleum products purchased by Commonwealth Government departments and is subsequently credited by Commonwealth Treasury to the departments concerned. (b) Operative from 19 August 1970.

## INDEXES OF VALUES OF EXPORTS AND IMPORTS AT CONSTANT PRICES

The following tables present indexes of the values of Australian exports and imports of *merchandise* at average 1966-67 prices. A description of these measures is given in the first issue of the bulletin *Exports and Imports of Merchandise at Constant Prices* (Ref. No. 8.21) published on 10 October 1968.

EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE  
(Base: Year 1966-67 = 100)

Section or division of A.E.C.C.	Food and live animals			Total food and live animals	Wool and sheepskins	Metaliferous ores and metal scrap	Metal manufactures, machinery, transport equipment	Other exports	All exports of merchandise (c)
	Meat and meat preparations	Cereal grain and cereal preparations	Other (dairy produce, fruit, sugar, etc.)						
	01	04	00, 02, 03, 05 to 09	00 to 09	Part of 21, Part of 26	28	67 to 73	1, 2(b), 3, 4, 5, 61 to 66, 8, 9A	0 to 9A
Per cent of total value of exports in 1966-67(c) ..	9.5	15.8	12.5	37.8	29.7	5.6	14.2	12.7	100.0
1961-62 ..	Not available								79
1962-63 ..									77
1963-64 ..									90
1964-65 ..									89
1965-66 ..									90
1966-67 ..	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1967-68 ..	100	94	99	97	102	147	100	121	105
1968-69 ..	98	80	102	92	107	211	116	147	114
1969-70 ..	132	106	100	111	115	302	151	174	136
1970-71p ..	135	146	110	131	105	384	156	189	148
Quarter ended 1968-69—									
March ..	92	94	78	88	121	194	106	132	112
June ..	103	85	95	93	106	256	125	161	119
1969-70—									
September ..	156	107	88	113	94	254	149	190	130
December ..	115	96	112	106	125	298	149	157	135
March ..	128	99	93	104	123	311	162	177	139
June ..	129	121	108	119	116	343	144	173	141
1970-71p—									
September ..	158	130	103	128	92	369	150	191	142
December ..	118	134	124	127	100	392	153	188	145
March ..	113	145	100	122	111	377	149	175	143
June ..	153	174	112	148	117	399	172	201	163

(a) The series shown for years prior to 1966-67 is not strictly comparable to the series shown from 1966-67 onwards for the bulletin referred to at the head of this table. (b) Excludes Wool and sheepskins and Metalliferous ores and metal scrap. (c) These percentages may be used in analysing the contribution of each group to movements in the total index.

## Indexes of values of Exports and Imports at Constant Prices—continued

## IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE

(Base: Year 1966-67=100)

	Food, beverages, and tobacco	Fuels	Basic materials	Chemicals (incl. plastics)	Textiles, fabrics, etc.	Metal manufac- tures, machin- ery, transport equipment	Other imports	All imports of merchan- dise (a)
Section or division of A.I.C.C.	0, 1	3	2, 4	5	65	67 to 73	61 to 64, 66, 8, 9A	0 to 9A
Per cent of total value of imports in 1966-67(b)	5.2	8.2	7.4	9.9	8.0	43.3	18.0	100.0
1961-62 ..	Not available							61
1962-63 ..								73
1963-64 ..								81
1964-65 ..								98
1965-66 ..								98
1966-67 ..	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1967-68 ..	99	100	107	109	107	111	111	109
1968-69 ..	110	105	106	123	114	116	121	116
1969-70 ..	116	111	112	132	122	127	137	126
1970-71p ..	120	81	108	145	127	134	152	131
Quarter ended—								
1968-69—								
March(c) ..	110	107	95	116	112	107	114	109
June ..	106	106	103	123	111	112	121	113
1969-70—								
September ..	115	112	117	129	124	130	140	128
December ..	122	120	109	133	122	127	141	128
March ..	119	109	105	124	119	124	130	122
June ..	108	101	118	142	124	128	138	127
1970-71p—								
September(d)	120	96	111	146	123	151	152	139
December(e)	124	84	110	146	126	131	160	131
March ..	122	71	103	137	126	121	147	122
June ..	113	71	110	150	135	132	149	129

(a) The series shown for years prior to 1966-67 is not strictly comparable to the series shown from 1966-67 onwards (see the bulletin referred to at the head of page 90). (b) These percentages may be used in analysing the contribution of each group to movements in the total index. (c) Imports in February and March 1969 were affected by industrial disputes in ports on the East Coast of U.S.A. and Canada. (d) Includes one submarine, three civilian aircraft and eighteen Phantom F-4E aircraft valued at \$64.5 million at current prices. (e) Includes six Phantom F-4E aircraft valued at \$13.6 million at current prices.

# SECTION IX. BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

## BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

(\$ million)

YEARS

	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
<b>CURRENT ACCOUNT(a)—</b>					
Exports f.o.b.(b) .. .. .	2,926	2,942	3,217	3,963	4,221
Imports f.o.b.(b) .. .. .	2,837	3,159	3,203	3,553	3,775
Balance of trade .. .. .	89	-218	14	411	446
Invisible credits—					
Gold production .. .. .	24	22	20	18	15
Transportation .. .. .	320	362	392	445	485
Travel .. .. .	70	88	108	123	141
Government .. .. .	83	76	80	87	79
Miscellaneous .. .. .	55	69	75	108	118
Property income .. .. .	123	129	150	152	179
Transfers .. .. .	136	156	165	182	176
Total invisible credits .. .. .	810	902	989	1,114	1,193
Invisible debits—					
Transportation r .. .. .	554	649	693	744	799
Travel .. .. .	133	140	150	176	190
Government .. .. .	81	95	111	124	126
Miscellaneous .. .. .	98	98	104	144	160
Property income—					
Investment income .. .. .	409	538	652	724	768
Other .. .. .	56	64	63	68	63
Transfers—					
Government .. .. .	151	154	159	180	185
Other .. .. .	79	84	90	112	126
Total invisible debits r .. .. .	1,560	1,821	2,022	2,271	2,416
Balance on current account r .. .. .	-661	-1,137	-1,018	-746	-777
<b>CAPITAL INFLOW(a)—</b>					
Overseas investment in Australia—					
Government securities—					
Domiciled overseas .. .. .	24	134	138	-121	-48
Domiciled in Australia .. .. .	-2	14	..	4	4
Total government securities .. .. .	22	148	138	-117	-44
Companies—					
Undistributed income .. .. .	115	227	284	285	*
Other direct investment .. .. .	219	305	317	421	*
Portfolio investment and institutional loans .. .. .	176	416	402	273	*
Total companies(c) .. .. .	509	948	1,003	979	*
Total overseas investment in Australia(c) .. .. .	531	1,096	1,140	862	*
Australian investment overseas(c) .. .. .	-30	-39	-53	-151	*
Other government capital movements .. .. .	-52	-60	-67	-60	-23
Marketing authorities .. .. .	-74	33	28	-47	-39
Monetary sector transactions n.e.i. .. .. .	6	42	-6	30	39
Net identified capital inflow .. .. .	381	1,073	1,043	635	(d) -66
Balancing item r .. .. .	156	143	124	148	(e) 1,446
Net apparent capital inflow r .. .. .	537	1,216	1,166	783	1,380
<b>MONETARY MOVEMENTS(a)—</b>					
Changes in official reserve assets .. .. .	-132	(f) 73	143	(g) 118	742
Allocation of Special Drawing Rights .. .. .	..	..	..	-75	-64
Changes in other foreign assets .. .. .	-18	(f) 8	26	6	-66
Other monetary movements .. .. .	26	-3	-20	-12	-10
Net monetary movements .. .. .	-124	79	148	37	602

For footnotes see next page.

## Balance of payments—continued

(\$ million)

QUARTERS

	Dec. quarter 1969	March quarter 1970	June quarter 1970	Sept. quarter 1970	Dec. quarter 1970	March quarter 1971	June quarter 1971
<b>CURRENT ACCOUNT(a)—</b>							
Exports f.o.b.(b) .. .. .	968	1,013	1,019	1,035	1,032	996	1,158
Imports f.o.b.(b) .. .. .	896	856	906	961	937	902	976
Balance of trade .. .. .	71	158	113	76	96	94	183
Invisible credits—							
Gold production .. .. .	4	5	5	4	4	3	4
Transportation .. .. .	111	115	113	119	121	121	124
Travel .. .. .	33	32	31	31	41	38	31
Government .. .. .	20	21	25	19	19	18	24
Miscellaneous .. .. .	22	33	32	32	28	22	36
Property income .. .. .	41	35	45	46	41	39	53
Transfers .. .. .	44	47	46	45	49	40	43
Total invisible credits .. .. .	275	287	297	295	302	281	315
Invisible debits—							
Transportation .. .. .	185	189	198	192	199	199	210
Travel .. .. .	32	40	63	46	36	46	63
Government .. .. .	29	28	38	27	32	29	37
Miscellaneous .. .. .	36	39	37	39	36	45	40
Property income—							
Investment income .. .. .	197	191	196	166	203	185	214
Other .. .. .	19	15	15	20	18	13	12
Transfers—							
Government .. .. .	55	39	46	49	54	42	40
Other .. .. .	29	25	30	31	35	29	31
Total invisible debits .. .. .	582	566	621	570	613	587	647
Balance on current account .. .. .	-235	-122	-211	-201	-215	-212	150
<b>CAPITAL INFLOW(a)—</b>							
Overseas investment in Australia—							
Government securities—							
Domiciled overseas .. .. .	-11	-8	-35	-30	-42	44	-20
Domiciled in Australia .. .. .	..	..	1	4	..	..	..
Total government securities .. .. .	-11	-8	-34	-27	-42	44	-20
Companies—							
Undistributed income .. .. .	71	71	71	79	79	79	*
Other direct investment .. .. .	67	116	199	71	84	148	*
Portfolio investment and institutional loans .. .. .	88	96	66	35	64	100	*
Total companies(c) .. .. .	227	283	336	185	227	326	*
Total overseas investment in Australia(c)	215	276	302	158	185	371	*
Australian investment overseas(c) .. .. .	-43	-20	-56	-22	-46	-62	*
Other government capital movements .. .. .	4	-26	-12	11	-7	-11	-17
Marketing authorities .. .. .	-22	-9	-16	2	-15	-21	-4
Monetary sector transactions n.e.i. .. .. .	-11	..	31	-6	6	58	-19
Net identified capital inflow .. .. .	143	220	249	144	124	335	(d)-59
Balancing item .. .. .	48	-81	211	-13	117	139	(e)955
Net apparent capital inflow .. .. .	191	139	459	130	240	474	535
<b>MONETARY MOVEMENTS(a)</b>							
Changes in official reserve assets .. .. .	-110	(g) 106	306	-34	7	(g) 343	426
Allocation of Special Drawing Rights .. .. .	..	-75	..	..	..	-64	..
Changes in other foreign assets .. .. .	72	-14	-51	-34	22	-21	-34
Other monetary movements .. .. .	-7	..	-6	-2	-5	3	-6
Net monetary movements .. .. .	-44	17	249	-70	25	262	385

(a) For current account balances minus sign (—) denotes deficit; for capital inflow minus sign (—) denotes outflow; for monetary movements minus sign (—) denotes a decrease in assets or an increase in liabilities or the receipt of an allocation of Special Drawing Rights in the I.M.F. (b) Recorded trade figures adjusted in respect of coverage and valuation for balance of payments purposes. (c) Particulars of the Survey of Overseas Investment are not available for the March quarter 1970 and for this period the items marked (\*) are included with the balancing item. (d) Excludes items marked (\*). (e) Includes items marked (\*). (f) Excludes the effect of the November 1967 devaluation of the pound sterling and other currencies which reduced by \$111 million and \$2 million, respectively, the Australian dollar equivalents of official reserve assets and other foreign assets. (g) Includes an increase due to the allocation of Special Drawing Rights.

## BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

## GOLD AND NET FOREIGN ASSETS

## OFFICIAL AND BANKING INSTITUTIONS

(Source: Reserve Bank of Australia)

(\$ million)

	30 June—				
	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970
Gold .. .. .	198.3	204.5	229.9	230.5	240.9
Special Drawing Rights .. .. .	..	..	..	..	78.6
I.M.F. gold tranche .. .. .	151.8	178.1	248.9	203.5	216.8
U.S. dollars .. .. .	161.9	208.9	188.7	368.2	370.9
Sterling .. .. .	934.2	722.6	604.9	586.0	617.1
Other foreign exchange .. .. .	0.7	0.6	4.7	31.5	13.8
Official reserve assets(a) .. .. .	1,447.0	1,314.7	1,277.1	1,419.7	1,538.1
Other foreign assets (net)(b) .. .. .	79.5	62.0	68.3	94.0	99.9
Total foreign assets(c) .. .. .	1,526.5	1,376.7	1,345.4	1,513.7	1,638.0

	31 March 1970	30 June 1970	30 September 1970	31 December 1970	31 March 1971	30 June 1971
Gold .. .. .	240.4	240.9	252.1	213.4	213.7	227.1
Special Drawing Rights .. .. .	78.6	78.6	79.5	80.8	146.4	146.4
I.M.F. gold tranche .. .. .	223.1	216.8	205.9	238.4	206.9	186.4
U.S. dollars .. .. .	249.6	370.9	379.8	421.8	478.5	696.4
Sterling .. .. .	426.7	617.1	563.9	533.6	744.6	947.1
Other foreign exchange .. .. .	13.8	13.8	22.7	23.1	64.6	76.7
Official reserve assets(a) .. .. .	1,232.2	1,538.1	1,503.9	1,511.2	1,854.6	2,280.1
Other foreign assets (net)(b) .. .. .	151.2	99.9	65.9	88.1	67.3	33.6
Total foreign assets(c) .. .. .	1,383.4	1,638.0	1,569.8	1,599.3	1,921.9	2,313.7

(a) Excludes foreign exchange holdings of Australian trading banks, other than amounts pending settlement with the Reserve Bank. (b) Includes the foreign exchange holdings of Australian trading banks (other than those included in 'official reserve assets') plus certain balances of the Commonwealth government overseas, other than in London. (c) The changes in total holdings shown in this table equal the changes in reserve assets shown in balance of payments tables, except for discrepancies due to rounding and for periods in which the rates of exchange of the currencies held as reserves are changed relative to the Australian dollar. For periods in which these rates are altered the changes in the Australian dollar equivalent of the reserve holdings caused by these valuation changes are reflected in the changes in total holdings shown in these tables, but are not included in the change in reserve assets shown in balance of payments tables.

# SECTION X. NATIONAL ACCOUNTS

## NATIONAL PRODUCTION ACCOUNT

(\$ million)

	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1969-70				1970-71		
				Sept. quarter	Dec. quarter	March quarter	June quarter	Sept. quarter	Dec. quarter	March quarter
Wages, salaries and supplements ..	12,697	14,029	15,715	3,755	4,075	3,774	4,112	4,225	4,590	4,395
Gross operating surplus of trading enterprises ..	9,134	10,495	11,363	2,760	3,315	2,724	2,564	2,913	3,379	2,845
Indirect taxes less subsidies ..	2,487	2,746	3,017	715	750	723	829	780	813	828
Gross national product ..	24,318	27,270	30,095	7,230	8,140	7,221	7,505	7,918	8,782	8,068
Imports of goods and services ..	4,127	4,251	4,737	1,168	1,180	1,153	1,236	1,261	1,246	1,208
National turnover of goods and services ..	28,445	31,521	34,832	8,398	9,320	8,374	8,741	9,179	10,028	9,276
Net current expenditure on goods and services—										
Personal consumption ..	14,825	15,896	17,341	4,129	4,581	4,207	4,424	4,476	4,956	4,553
Financial enterprises ..	332	378	428	100	108	108	112	111	122	123
Public authorities ..	3,101	3,394	3,708	853	986	849	1,020	985	1,104	1,014
Gross fixed capital expenditure—										
Private ..	4,150	4,686	5,161	1,235	1,336	1,190	1,400	1,358	1,488	1,387
Public enterprises ..	1,313	1,388	1,479	327	384	323	446	365	388	355
Public authorities ..	1,030	1,122	1,223	265	321	253	384	283	352	303
Value of physical changes in stocks ..	134	676	475	117	201	220	- 63	163	157	260
Statistical discrepancy ..	2	89	276	228	245	4	- 203	198	218	85
Gross national expenditure ..	24,887	27,629	30,091	7,254	8,162	7,154	7,520	7,939	8,785	8,080
Exports of goods and services ..	3,158	3,892	4,741	1,144	1,158	1,220	1,221	1,240	1,243	1,196
National turnover of goods and services ..	28,445	31,521	34,832	8,398	9,320	8,374	8,741	9,179	10,028	9,276
Gross national product at factor cost ..	21,831	24,524	27,078	6,515	7,390	6,498	6,676	7,138	7,969	7,240
of which—										
Farm ..	1,756	2,246	2,087	431	765	637	254	380	658	611
Non-Farm ..	20,075	22,278	24,991	6,084	6,625	5,861	6,422	6,758	7,311	6,629

Series revised.

# SECTION XI. PRIVATE FINANCE

## TRADING BANKS

Liabilities within Australia(a)

(\$ million)

Average of weekly figures	Deposits				Balances due to other banks (b)	Bills payable and all other liabilities	Total liabilities
	Fixed	Current		Total			
		Bearing interest	Not bearing interest				

  

MAJOR TRADING BANKS(c)							
Year—							
1965-66 .. ..	1,943.3	312.1	2,671.6	4,927.1	(d) 38.3	128.7	5,094.0
1966-67 .. ..	2,086.7	326.8	2,830.6	5,244.0	26.1	141.1	5,411.2
1967-68 .. ..	2,274.6	347.7	2,980.7	5,603.1	26.8	134.1	5,763.9
1968-69 .. ..	2,515.9	382.3	3,178.6	6,076.7	69.2	152.8	6,298.7
1969-70 .. ..	2,809.7	388.2	3,419.0	6,616.9	156.6	219.5	6,993.0
Quarter ended—							
December 1969 .. ..	2,797.8	387.4	3,408.2	6,593.4	136.4	190.7	6,920.5
March 1970 .. ..	2,864.4	392.2	3,607.9	6,864.6	171.2	222.8	7,258.5
June 1970 .. ..	2,914.0	374.9	3,469.2	6,758.1	223.6	270.5	7,252.1
September 1970 .. ..	2,786.4	371.3	3,370.1	6,527.7	218.6	312.2	7,058.6
December 1970 .. ..	2,862.0	371.7	3,559.2	6,793.0	274.1	277.1	7,344.2
March 1971 .. ..	3,030.2	376.3	3,662.2	7,068.7	260.5	271.7	7,600.8

## OTHER TRADING BANKS(e)

Year—							
1965-66 .. ..	129.7	48.8	126.1	304.7	(d) 7.8	111.2	423.7
1966-67 .. ..	140.2	54.3	139.4	334.0	9.6	121.8	465.4
1967-68 .. ..	167.9	61.6	146.1	375.6	11.1	133.2	519.9
1968-69 .. ..	190.2	67.5	155.7	413.4	11.0	142.8	567.3
1969-70 .. ..	229.8	66.2	167.3	463.2	12.7	152.3	628.2
Quarter ended—							
December 1969 .. ..	220.0	66.3	163.4	449.7	12.7	151.2	613.5
March 1970 .. ..	242.3	62.9	181.2	486.3	12.1	153.9	652.3
June 1970 .. ..	252.6	65.5	170.0	488.1	14.5	156.0	658.6
September 1970 .. ..	248.1	71.3	158.4	477.7	12.8	163.0	653.5
December 1970 .. ..	267.1	66.0	170.0	503.1	13.2	165.6	681.9
March 1971 .. ..	280.5	63.2	187.5	531.2	14.4	169.4	715.1

## ALL TRADING BANKS

Year—							
1965-66 .. ..	2,073.0	361.0	2,797.8	5,231.8	(d) 46.1	239.9	5,517.7
1966-67 .. ..	2,226.9	381.1	2,970.0	5,578.0	35.7	262.9	5,876.6
1967-68 .. ..	2,442.5	409.3	3,126.8	5,978.6	37.9	267.2	6,283.8
1968-69 .. ..	2,706.0	449.8	3,334.3	6,490.2	80.2	295.6	6,866.0
1969-70 .. ..	3,039.4	454.4	3,586.2	7,080.0	169.3	371.8	7,621.2
Quarter ended—							
December 1969 .. ..	3,017.8	453.7	3,571.6	7,043.0	149.1	341.9	7,534.0
March 1970 .. ..	3,106.7	455.1	3,789.1	7,350.9	183.3	376.7	7,910.8
June 1970 .. ..	3,166.6	440.4	3,639.2	7,246.2	238.1	426.4	7,910.7
September 1970 .. ..	3,034.4	442.6	3,528.5	7,005.5	232.0	475.2	7,712.7
December 1970 .. ..	3,129.1	437.7	3,729.1	7,296.0	287.3	442.9	8,026.3
March 1971 .. ..	3,310.7	439.5	3,849.8	7,599.9	274.9	441.1	8,315.9

(a) Averages of liabilities at close of business on Wednesdays in periods. (b) Includes short-term loans from the Reserve Bank. (c) These comprise the Commonwealth Trading Bank, Australia and New Zealand Bank Ltd, The Bank of Adelaide, Bank of New South Wales, The Commercial Bank of Australia Ltd, The Commercial Banking Company of Sydney Ltd, The English, Scottish and Australian Bank Ltd, The National Bank of Australasia Ltd. As from 1 October 1970, the Australian and New Zealand Banking Group took over the banking business of the Australia and New Zealand Bank and the English, Scottish and Australian Bank. (d) Includes loans by Reserve Bank to trading banks to finance abnormal holding of currency during the changeover to decimal currency. (e) These comprise the Bank of China, Bank of New Zealand, The Bank of Queensland Ltd, Banque Nationale de Paris, The General Bank Department of the Rural Bank of New South Wales, The State Bank of South Australia and the Rural Department of the Rural and Industries Bank of Western Australia.

Trading banks—continued  
Assets within Australia(a)  
(\$ million)

Average of weekly figures	Cash and cash balances (b)	Commonwealth and State Government Securities		Other securities	Loans to authorized dealers in the short-term money market	Statutory reserve deposit account with Reserve Bank	Loans, advances, and bills discounted (c)	All other assets	Total assets
		Treasury bills and Treasury notes	Other						

## MAJOR TRADING BANKS(d)

Year—									
1965-66..	(e) 160.8	87.7	987.4	72.0	70.6	606.8	2,708.7	349.3	5,043.2
1966-67..	152.4	85.4	1,169.4	76.5	82.3	475.1	2,970.8	413.1	5,424.8
1967-68..	153.5	84.5	1,190.9	87.2	75.3	478.6	3,350.3	408.9	5,829.2
1968-69..	152.6	92.3	1,244.0	103.7	87.8	521.5	3,733.6	448.9	6,384.4
1969-70..	156.9	118.9	1,256.1	128.0	93.5	645.0	4,161.7	505.0	7,067.0
Quarter ended—									
December 1969..	158.8	99.3	1,274.5	125.7	98.7	639.2	4,095.4	485.8	6,977.4
March 1970..	158.8	222.8	1,340.4	131.7	105.6	677.4	4,163.4	509.2	7,309.3
June 1970..	164.5	92.3	1,223.6	133.5	82.2	688.0	4,388.3	563.9	7,336.3
September 1970..	158.3	65.5	1,110.5	141.0	106.0	653.3	4,383.3	598.9	7,217.3
December 1970..	171.5	155.9	1,165.2	145.0	82.9	624.5	4,433.3	650.7	7,428.9
March 1971..	173.1	450.1	1,172.0	160.0	85.9	655.8	4,472.1	594.3	7,763.3

## OTHER TRADING BANKS(f)

Year—									
1965-66..	(e) 9.9	1.4	93.4	7.5	13.2	1.0	331.4	34.6	492.3
1966-67..	9.3	3.9	115.0	8.6	16.2	1.1	348.4	34.7	537.1
1967-68..	10.9	8.3	118.4	10.1	14.4	1.2	400.6	37.7	601.6
1968-69..	10.3	7.0	131.6	16.7	19.7	1.4	423.2	40.8	652.8
1969-70..	11.3	7.8	137.5	20.3	24.8	1.8	472.8	45.3	721.9
Quarter ended—									
December 1969..	10.9	6.3	136.5	19.1	23.2	1.7	461.5	44.9	703.9
March 1970..	13.8	14.9	131.8	24.3	27.5	2.0	487.3	45.4	747.1
June 1970..	11.8	5.7	138.4	20.3	27.4	2.0	503.4	48.3	757.2
September 1970..	10.1	2.4	138.9	15.1	28.2	1.8	506.2	55.1	757.7
December 1970..	10.5	5.4	157.6	15.2	24.5	1.9	514.2	55.0	784.2
March 1971..	11.3	12.2	154.6	22.1	30.3	2.2	525.6	57.7	815.8

## ALL TRADING BANKS

Year—									
1965-66..	(e) 170.7	89.1	1,080.7	79.4	83.8	607.8	3,040.1	383.9	5,535.5
1966-67..	161.7	89.3	1,284.4	85.1	98.5	476.1	3,319.2	447.8	5,962.1
1967-68..	164.4	92.8	1,309.3	97.3	89.7	479.8	3,751.0	446.6	6,430.9
1968-69..	162.9	99.3	1,375.6	120.4	107.5	522.9	4,158.9	489.7	7,037.2
1969-70..	168.2	126.7	1,393.6	148.3	120.3	646.9	4,634.5	550.5	7,788.9
Quarter ended—									
December 1969..	169.7	105.5	1,411.0	144.7	121.9	640.8	4,556.9	530.7	7,681.3
March 1970..	172.6	237.8	1,472.2	156.0	133.1	679.4	4,650.7	554.7	8,056.4
June 1970..	176.3	97.9	1,361.9	153.8	109.6	690.0	4,891.8	612.2	8,093.5
September 1970..	168.6	67.8	1,249.5	156.1	134.2	655.1	4,889.7	654.0	7,975.0
December 1970..	182.0	161.3	1,322.8	160.1	107.3	626.4	4,947.7	705.6	8,213.1
March 1971..	184.4	462.3	1,326.5	182.0	116.2	658.0	4,997.7	651.8	8,579.1

(a) Averages of assets at close of business on Wednesdays in periods. (b) Coin, bullion, Australian notes and cash with Reserve Bank. (c) Excludes loans to authorized dealers in the short-term money market. (d) See footnote (c), on page 96. (e) Includes abnormal stocks of currency held by banks during the changeover to decimal currency. (f) See footnote (e), on page 96.

**RESERVE BANK OF AUSTRALIA**  
**Central Banking Business (Including Note Issue Department and**  
**Rural Credits Department)**  
**(\$ million)**

(\$ million)									
Average of weekly figures	Notes on issue			Deposits of trading banks		Other liabilities (excluding capital and reserve funds) (b)	Gold and foreign exchange	Australian Government securities (including Treasury bills and Treasury notes)	Rural Credits Department
	Held by—		Total	Statutory reserve deposits accounts	Other (e)				
	Banks	Public							
<b>Year—</b>									
1966-67 ..	156.3	752.5	908.8	476.1	93.2	733.4	1,173.8	753.6	245.6
1967-68 ..	163.5	830.0	993.6	479.8	73.4	732.1	1,041.8	915.7	283.0
1968-69 ..	161.9	909.3	1,071.2	522.9	82.7	793.0	1,090.1	1,012.6	319.8
1969-70 ..	162.2	1,013.4	1,175.6	646.9	45.7	918.0	1,043.3	1,250.2	440.6
1970-71 ..	176.4	1,133.1	1,309.4	644.0	57.3	1,056.9	1,492.5	1,148.2	384.8
<b>Quarter ended—</b>									
March 1970 ..	164.0	1,027.2	1,191.1	679.4	46.5	966.0	956.1	1,332.9	550.5
June 1970 ..	170.0	1,046.5	1,216.5	690.0	39.3	999.4	1,156.0	1,342.9	357.4
September 1970 ..	163.8	1,074.7	1,238.6	655.1	34.1	995.5	1,318.8	1,205.9	350.4
December 1970 ..	179.4	1,128.9	1,308.4	626.4	63.4	890.1	1,304.2	1,205.4	360.6
March 1971 ..	181.2	1,148.0	1,329.2	658.0	69.2	1,033.9	1,441.0	1,114.7	499.8
June 1971 ..	182.2	1,184.8	1,367.0	634.3	64.8	1,299.8	1,904.8	1,066.9	329.3

(a) Includes Term Loan Fund accounts established in mid-April 1962 and Farm Development Loan Fund accounts established in April 1966. (b) From January 1970, includes Special Reserve—International Monetary Fund special drawing rights. (c) Includes abnormal stocks of notes held by banks during the changeover to decimal currency.

**AUSTRALIAN NOTES: VALUE OF DECIMAL AND PRE-DECIMAL NOTES**  
**OUTSTANDING**  
**(\$ million)**

Denominations	June 1967	June 1968	June 1969	June 1970	June 1971
\$1 and 10 shillings .. ..	33	35	38	40	42
\$2 and £1 .. ..	128	118	117	118	119
\$5 .. ..	43	57	64	73	81
\$10 and £5 .. ..	389	401	441	474	521
\$20 and £10 .. ..	345	395	447	509	605
<b>Total</b> .. ..	<b>938</b>	<b>1,006</b>	<b>1,108</b>	<b>1,216</b>	<b>1,369</b>
Held by banks .. ..	162	160	165	165	178
Held by public .. ..	776	846	943	1,050	1,192

**COMMONWEALTH DEVELOPMENT BANK OF AUSTRALIA**  
**(\$ million)**

Average of weekly figures	Advances			Commonwealth and State Government securities
	Hire purchase	Other	Total	
<b>Year—</b>				
1966-67 .. ..	53.6	134.5	188.2	1.2
1967-68 .. ..	54.2	159.6	213.8	1.2
1968-69 .. ..	58.3	181.9	240.2	1.3
1969-70 .. ..	58.1	198.1	256.2	0.1
1970-71 .. ..				
<b>Quarter ended—</b>				
March 1970 .. ..	57.6	199.9	257.5	0.2
June 1970 .. ..	55.9	203.0	258.9	0.2
September 1970 .. ..	57.0	209.3	266.3	
December 1970 .. ..	57.1	214.5	271.6	0.2
March 1971 .. ..	54.7	219.1	273.8	1.8
June 1971 .. ..	53.7	222.9	276.6	1.9

## TRADING BANKS

Debits to customers' accounts(a)

(Excluding debits to Australian Government accounts at capital city branches)

(\$ million)

Average of weekly figures	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Total
<b>Year—</b>									
1966-67 ..	1,080.2	940.1	256.9	184.4	138.6	47.3	4.5	17.0	2,668.9
1967-68 ..	1,257.9	1,041.8	289.2	201.7	169.1	51.3	5.8	21.2	3,038.0
1968-69 ..	1,526.0	1,214.1	325.3	224.2	209.0	55.9	7.4	50.4	3,612.6
1969-70 ..	1,865.6	1,413.3	364.7	243.2	246.4	61.2	12.7	87.7	4,294.9
1970-71 ..	2,148.6	1,647.3	405.0	269.6	295.3	64.2	15.8	64.6	4,910.4
<b>Quarter ended—</b>									
December 1969	1,873.1	1,399.4	375.7	245.2	254.8	62.1	12.7	95.7	4,318.6
March 1970 ..	1,923.5	1,404.2	350.9	241.2	246.9	56.8	10.5	79.7	4,313.7
June 1970 ..	2,013.1	1,555.3	374.7	257.5	255.7	67.1	16.7	91.9	4,632.0
September 1970	2,078.5	1,562.1	381.4	253.6	267.6	62.1	16.4	103.9	4,725.6
December 1970	2,184.9	1,680.1	416.6	272.6	310.7	65.1	16.6	67.2	5,013.8
March 1971 ..	2,155.6	1,615.4	389.2	275.0	297.9	60.9	14.7	41.7	4,850.3
June 1971 ..	2,180.8	1,738.1	434.6	278.6	307.3	68.7	15.3	42.8	5,066.1

(a) Covers all trading banks and in addition the Rural Credits Department of the Reserve Bank and the Commonwealth Development Bank.

## MAJOR TRADING BANKS

New and increased lending commitments and overdraft limits

(Source: Reserve Bank of Australia)

(\$ million)

New and increased lending commitments(a)				Overdraft limits	
Weekly average for period ended second Wednesday of—	Aggregate	Term loan component	Farm development loans component	At second Wednesday of—	Total outstanding (b)
<b>Year—</b>				<b>Year—</b>	
1963-64(c) ..	22.5	1.7	..	1964 July ..	3,801.0
1964-65(c) ..	21.7	1.4	..	1965 July ..	3,932.2
1965-66(c) ..	22.8	1.3	0.1	1966 July ..	4,098.4
1966-67(c) ..	31.4	2.5	0.5	1967 July ..	4,512.9
1967-68(c) ..	33.2	2.1	0.5	1968 July ..	4,983.3
1968-69(c) ..	34.8	3.7	0.6	1969 July ..	5,295.2
<b>1969-70—</b>				<b>1969-70—</b>	
January ..	42.5	11.2	0.2	January ..	5,450.5
February ..	38.6	4.8	0.3	February ..	5,464.0
March ..	36.8	2.8	0.3	March ..	5,486.2
April ..	35.1	2.9	0.4	April ..	5,537.3
May ..	37.6	3.1	0.4	May ..	5,574.7
June ..	34.6	2.8	0.3	June ..	5,575.7
<b>1970-71—</b>				<b>1970-71—</b>	
July ..	30.3	2.2	0.2	July ..	5,598.3
August ..	(d) 38.8	1.2	0.2	August ..	(e) 5,657.4
September ..	36.5	2.8	0.2	September ..	5,678.9
October ..	39.9	4.2	0.3	October ..	5,725.5
November ..	36.1	2.2	0.4	November ..	5,751.8
December ..	38.4	3.8	0.4	December ..	5,772.7
January ..	44.2	4.8	0.4	January ..	5,823.1
February ..	49.2	3.0	0.5	February ..	5,887.3
March ..	37.4	4.1	0.6	March ..	5,905.4
April ..	37.0	4.1	0.6	April ..	5,940.7
May ..	36.0	4.6	0.5	May ..	5,959.2
June ..	42.9	10.1	0.7	June ..	5,963.4

(a) This series comprises all new and increased lending commitments for overdrafts, term loans and from May 1966 farm development loans. Commitments in respect of temporary advances to woolbuyers are excluded.  
 (b) Excludes limits in respect of temporary advances to woolbuyers, term loans, and farm development loans.  
 (c) Year ended second Wednesday of July. (d) Of which \$7.0 million represents commitments to pastoral finance companies for financing advances to growers under Wool Price Averaging Plan. (e) \$35 million of increase between July and August represents commitments to pastoral finance companies for financing advances to growers under Wool Price Averaging Plan.

**MAJOR TRADING BANKS—continued**  
**Classification of advances within Australia(a)**  
**(\$ million)**

Classification	January 1969	July 1969	January 1970	July 1970	January 1971
<b>RESIDENT BORROWERS—</b>					
<i>Business advances classified according to main industry of borrower—</i>					
Agriculture, grazing and dairying ..	916.3	938.5	945.8	997.8	978.7
Manufacturing .. .. .	614.7	673.1	669.0	729.0	693.1
Transport, storage and communication ..	61.0	75.9	78.9	85.7	87.3
Finance .. .. .	161.0	175.8	208.4	204.5	245.7
Commerce .. .. .	624.8	685.6	647.0	690.7	643.2
Building and construction .. .. .	121.7	141.3	141.5	149.2	134.8
Other businesses .. .. .	394.0	478.1	588.6	617.8	731.3
Unclassified .. .. .	29.4	47.9	60.1	46.3	48.2
<b>Total business advances of which—</b>	<b>2,922.8</b>	<b>3,216.4</b>	<b>3,339.4</b>	<b>3,521.1</b>	<b>3,562.3</b>
Companies .. .. .	1,642.4	1,850.9	1,976.3	2,075.4	2,179.5
Other .. .. .	1,280.4	1,365.5	1,363.1	1,445.7	1,382.8
<i>Advances to public authorities .. .. .</i>	<i>55.7</i>	<i>34.0</i>	<i>63.1</i>	<i>36.9</i>	<i>64.1</i>
<i>Personal advances .. .. .</i>	<i>647.2</i>	<i>716.3</i>	<i>729.5</i>	<i>781.1</i>	<i>777.2</i>
<i>Advances to non-profit organisations ..</i>	<i>70.6</i>	<i>68.5</i>	<i>70.5</i>	<i>70.7</i>	<i>69.5</i>
<b>Total advances to resident borrowers</b>	<b>3,696.3</b>	<b>4,035.2</b>	<b>4,202.5</b>	<b>4,409.8</b>	<b>4,473.0</b>
<b>NON RESIDENT BORROWERS .. .. .</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>3.6</b>
<b>Total, all advances .. .. .</b>	<b>3,699.0</b>	<b>4,038.3</b>	<b>4,206.3</b>	<b>4,413.8</b>	<b>4,476.6</b>

(a) Includes Papua and New Guinea. Information is compiled by all banks as at the second Wednesday of the month.

**Classification of deposits(a) within Australia(b)**  
**(\$ million)**

Classification	January 1969	July 1969	January 1970	July 1970	January 1971
<b>RESIDENT DEPOSITORS—</b>					
<i>Business deposits classified according to main industry of depositor—</i>					
Agriculture, grazing and dairying ..	854.1	814.4	852.8	756.2	795.9
Manufacturing .. .. .	405.7	350.7	423.4	359.0	395.6
Transport, storage and communication ..	91.2	86.7	91.9	96.8	95.4
Finance .. .. .	456.4	440.9	411.5	421.0	442.2
Commerce .. .. .	479.8	423.8	493.4	442.1	530.1
Building and construction .. .. .	191.7	182.3	204.4	187.3	222.3
Other businesses .. .. .	718.9	751.8	835.3	844.2	912.9
Unclassified .. .. .	71.1	66.4	66.0	91.2	71.4
<b>Total business deposits of which—</b>	<b>3,268.7</b>	<b>3,117.0</b>	<b>3,378.5</b>	<b>3,197.8</b>	<b>3,465.8</b>
Companies .. .. .	1,424.8	1,365.2	1,518.0	1,469.8	1,594.6
Other .. .. .	1,843.9	1,751.8	1,860.6	1,728.0	1,871.2
<i>Deposits of public authorities .. .. .</i>	<i>298.2</i>	<i>341.2</i>	<i>286.2</i>	<i>377.5</i>	<i>358.9</i>
<i>Personal deposits .. .. .</i>	<i>2,028.3</i>	<i>2,019.0</i>	<i>2,148.2</i>	<i>2,161.9</i>	<i>2,285.3</i>
<i>Deposits of non-profit organisations ..</i>	<i>266.0</i>	<i>280.3</i>	<i>289.2</i>	<i>307.6</i>	<i>292.4</i>
<b>Total, to resident depositors .. .. .</b>	<b>5,861.2</b>	<b>5,757.5</b>	<b>6,102.1</b>	<b>6,044.8</b>	<b>6,402.4</b>
<b>NON RESIDENT DEPOSITORS .. .. .</b>	<b>101.0</b>	<b>100.4</b>	<b>97.5</b>	<b>98.1</b>	<b>104.4</b>
<b>Total, all depositors .. .. .</b>	<b>5,962.3</b>	<b>5,857.9</b>	<b>6,199.6</b>	<b>6,142.9</b>	<b>6,506.8</b>

(a) Excludes the deposits of Commonwealth and State Governments. As at the second Wednesday of the month shown. (b) Includes Papua and New Guinea.

## ALL SAVINGS BANKS

## Depositors' Balances

(\$ million)

At end of—	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Total
June—									
1967 .. ..	1,984.3	1,926.7	700.0	605.2	330.8	167.1	12.5	38.0	5,764.7
1968 .. ..	2,125.8	2,085.5	757.0	643.7	373.6	177.8	14.4	43.7	6,221.5
1969 .. ..	2,282.4	2,244.3	819.0	691.8	413.0	190.0	17.4	49.1	6,707.1
1970 .. ..	2,400.8	2,386.8	875.6	733.1	431.9	199.8	21.3	55.4	7,104.7
1971 .. ..	2,554.2	2,575.4	943.3	787.9	464.6	217.7	27.4	64.1	7,634.5
March 1970 ..	2,344.3	2,348.5	849.4	716.8	426.1	196.6	19.7	53.8	6,955.2
June 1970 ..	2,400.8	2,386.8	875.6	733.1	431.9	199.8	21.3	55.4	7,104.7
September 1970	2,439.7	2,446.6	901.8	746.8	443.7	205.8	24.0	57.9	7,266.2
December 1970	2,462.1	2,496.1	908.8	757.4	447.2	206.8	24.7	59.8	7,362.8
March 1971 ..	2,482.6	2,510.3	912.0	769.9	453.6	211.5	25.5	62.0	7,427.3
June 1971 ..	2,554.2	2,575.4	943.3	787.9	464.6	217.7	27.4	64.1	7,634.5

## Selected assets within Australia(a)

(\$ million)

At end of—	Coin, bullion and Australian notes	Deposits with Reserve Bank	Deposits with trading banks	Australian public securities		Loans to authorised dealers in the short-term money market	Loans, advances and bills discounted	
				Commonwealth and States	Local and semi-government securities		Housing	Other
June—								
1967 .. ..	12.3	492.5	136.3	2,184.5	1,328.5	50.5	1,548.8	222.3
1968 .. ..	13.3	497.2	145.5	2,271.1	1,486.5	23.9	1,751.3	266.1
1969 .. ..	16.6	536.0	152.7	2,300.6	1,651.7	31.2	1,961.5	301.9
1970 .. ..	17.5	612.9	135.1	2,261.4	1,800.9	37.1	2,144.2	195.6
1971 .. ..	18.2	615.5	106.2	2,353.4	1,960.6	79.3	2,364.2	238.9
March 1970 ..	16.3	613.2	143.0	2,345.6	1,781.5	28.1	2,387.5	226.4
June 1970 ..	17.5	612.9	135.1	2,261.4	1,800.9	37.1	2,144.2	195.6
September 1970	16.5	552.8	147.4	2,417.3	1,829.5	53.1	2,195.6	208.7
December 1970	19.6	426.9	124.9	2,599.3	1,889.9	47.1	2,253.9	207.8
March 1971 ..	18.9	538.7	123.7	2,525.2	1,927.0	39.1	2,306.2	222.8
June 1971 ..	18.2	615.5	106.2	2,353.4	1,960.6	79.3	2,364.3	238.9

(a) Includes assets in Australian External Territories.

## FINANCE COMPANIES: AUSTRALIA

The following statistics contain quarterly details of the lending operations of Finance Companies in Australia, compiled from monthly returns collected from these companies. Information on the scope of these statistics and the definitions of the items is contained in a supplement which is available on request, and is also included in the bulletin *Finance Companies 1969-70*, which, in addition contains more detailed statistics.

The instalment credit for retail sales transactions of the Finance Companies covered in these statistics given below are also included in the statistics of *Instalment Credit for Retail Sales*.

Summary  
(\$ million)

	Amount financed during period	Collections and other liquidations during period			Balances outstanding at end of period		
		Contracts including charges	Contracts excluding charges	Total all contracts	Contracts including charges	Contracts excluding charges	Total all contracts (a)
<b>Year—</b>							
1965-66 .. ..	1,916.2	1,062.1	1,065.9	2,128.1	1,471.4	438.7	1,910.1
1966-67 .. ..	2,302.1	1,163.6	1,359.4	2,523.1	1,630.0	478.5	2,108.5
1967-68 .. ..	2,724.0	1,250.1	1,549.5	2,799.6	1,850.2	587.7	2,437.9
1968-69 .. ..	3,239.4	1,418.3	1,912.6	3,330.9	2,105.5	711.7	2,817.2
1969-70 .. ..	3,805.7	1,612.7	2,206.2	3,818.9	2,401.0	973.2	3,374.3
<b>Quarter ended—</b>							
September 1969 ..	919.4	391.5	517.8	909.2	2,180.7	786.1	2,966.9
December 1969 ..	983.2	406.4	552.2	958.6	2,277.0	860.6	3,137.6
March 1970 .. ..	907.7	398.1	535.3	933.3	2,326.6	925.4	3,251.9
June 1970 .. ..	995.5	416.7	601.0	1,017.7	2,401.0	973.2	3,374.3
September 1970 ..	1,000.4	429.8	576.2	1,006.1	2,460.3	1,060.8	3,521.1
December 1970 ..	1,136.4	454.8	647.5	1,102.4	2,569.3	1,160.6	3,729.9
March 1971 .. ..	1,012.3	438.2	665.0	1,103.1	2,640.5	1,161.1	3,801.6

(a) Amounts shown in this column are intended to provide a broad overall measure of balances outstanding. It should be noted, however, that movements in this series may be affected by changes in the proportions of the two components of the series to the total.

Amount financed by type of agreement  
(\$ million)

	Instalment credit for retail sales	Wholesale finance	Com- mercial loans repayable at call or within 90 days	Personal loans	Other consumer and commercial loans		Factoring	Total
					Other com- mercial loans	Mortgage loans		
<b>Year—</b>								
1965-66 .. ..	612.7	488.2	288.4	70.6	153.1	222.6	80.7	1,916.2
1966-67 .. ..	689.2	719.0	323.1	95.5	127.0	280.4	68.0	2,302.1
1967-68 .. ..	816.1	855.8	386.1	116.9	132.2	342.0	74.9	2,724.0
1968-69 .. ..	922.7	944.4	534.2	124.2	188.6	449.5	75.7	3,239.4
1969-70 .. ..	1,037.0	1,059.7	636.4	145.2	270.1	565.6	91.8	3,805.7
<b>Quarter ended—</b>								
September 1969 ..	249.2	269.9	151.0	35.2	60.1	132.5	21.5	919.4
December 1969 ..	273.5	275.7	159.7	41.6	61.6	146.4	24.7	983.2
March 1970 .. ..	248.1	239.5	174.9	33.9	62.9	127.0	21.3	907.7
June 1970 .. ..	266.1	274.5	150.8	34.5	85.5	159.7	24.3	995.5
September 1970 ..	266.1	278.3	163.9	32.8	235.4		24.0	1,000.4
December 1970 ..	298.2	302.3	198.1	43.1	267.1		27.6	1,136.4
March 1971 .. ..	268.6	257.7	202.4	36.7	225.0		22.0	1,012.3

**Finance companies: Australia—continued**  
**Collections and other liquidations of balances by type of agreement**  
**(\$ million)**

	Instal- ment credit for retail sales	Whole- sale finance	Com- mercial loans repayable at call or within 90 days	Other consumer and commercial loans		Factoring	Total all contracts
				Contracts including charges	Contracts excluding charges		
<b>Year—</b>							
1965-66 ..	778.9	474.9	271.9	283.2	223.6	95.5	2,128.1
1966-67 ..	854.9	704.6	340.9	308.7	237.8	76.2	2,523.1
1967-68 ..	913.0	836.6	363.6	337.1	265.9	83.3	2,799.6
1968-69 ..	1,026.5	934.8	537.1	391.8	352.9	87.9	3,330.9
1969-70 ..	1,150.7	1,052.9	603.9	462.0	445.7	103.7	3,818.9
<b>Quarter ended—</b>							
December 1969	285.2	270.8	143.5	121.2	110.6	27.3	958.6
March 1970 ..	288.5	242.7	160.8	109.6	109.5	22.2	933.3
June 1970 ..	302.1	276.7	172.4	114.6	122.8	29.1	1,017.7

	Instal- ment credit for retail sales	Whole- sale finance	Com- mercial loans repayable at call or within 90 days	Other consumer and commercial loans			Factoring	Total all contracts
				Personal loans	Other loans			
					Including charges	Excluding charges		
Quarter ended—								
September 1970	307.1	278.1	127.2	42.9	86.3	137.5	27.0	1,006.1
December 1970	323.4	283.0	176.5	45.8	92.6	151.0	30.1	1,102.4
March 1971 ..	325.5	271.4	218.7	41.4	77.6	140.4	28.2	1,103.1

**Balances outstanding by type of agreement**  
**(\$ million)**

At end of—	Instal- ment credit for retail sales	Whole- sale finance	Com- mercial loans repayable at call or within 90 days	Other consumer and commercial loans(a)		Factoring	Total all contracts (b)
				Contracts including charges	Contracts excluding charges		
<b>Year—</b>							
1965-66 ..	990.1	78.4	65.1	481.3	273.4	21.8	1,910.1
1966-67 ..	1,087.4	100.8	49.3	542.6	306.6	21.7	2,108.5
1967-68 ..	1,222.0	127.6	69.9	628.2	366.6	23.6	2,437.9
1968-69 ..	1,380.2	146.7	62.9	725.2	479.5	22.6	2,817.2
1969-70 ..	1,565.1	167.4	92.5	835.9	686.4	26.9	3,374.3
<b>Quarter—</b>							
December 1969	1,487.4	165.6	104.3	789.6	565.4	25.3	3,137.6
March 1970 ..	1,521.8	165.9	116.7	804.7	615.1	27.6	3,251.9
June 1970 ..	1,565.1	167.4	92.5	835.9	686.4	26.9	3,374.3

(a) From September 1970 Quarter 'Other Consumer and Commercial loans' has been subdivided under the headings marked † in the top table on the next page.  
 (b) Amounts shown in this column are intended to provide a broad overall measure of total balances outstanding. It should be noted, however, that movements in this series may be affected by changes in the proportions of the two components of the series to the total.

*Finance companies: Australia—continued*  
**Balances outstanding by type of agreement—continued**  
 (\$ million)

At end of—	Instal- ment credit for retail sales	Whole- sale finance	Com- mer- cial loans repayable at call or within 90 days	Other consumer and commercial loans			Factoring	Total all contracts (b)
				Personal loans†	Other loans			
					Including charges†	Excluding charges†		
Quarter—								
September 1970	1,601.8	172.2	127.1	185.8	699.1	706.6	28.6	3,521.1
December 1970	1,668.2	195.5	147.5	196.2	732.7	758.7	31.2	3,729.9
March 1971 ..	1,694.7	186.1	133.0	202.1	771.9	784.9	28.8	3,801.6

(b) Amounts shown in this column are intended to provide a broad overall measure of total balances outstanding. It should be noted, however, that movements in this series may be affected by changes in the proportions of the two components of the series to the total.

† See note (a) at foot of previous page.

**Loans to related non-finance companies**  
 (\$ million)

Quarter ended—			Balances outstanding at end of quarter
December 1969	..	..	21.5
March 1970	..	..	21.8
June 1970	..	..	23.7
September 1970	..	..	40.7
December 1970	..	..	24.2
March 1971	..	..	22.3

**Transactions in bills of exchange**  
 (\$ million)

Quarter ended—			Amounts paid for bills acquired during quarter	Amounts received for bills disposed of during quarter	Balances outstanding at end of quarter
December 1969	..	..	51.8	40.1	39.4
March 1970 ..	..	..	41.5	46.1	35.0
June 1970	..	..	38.3	40.3	33.4
September 1970	..	..	79.8	80.3	33.3
December 1970	..	..	52.2	47.4	38.6
March 1971 ..	..	..	37.7	46.8	29.7

**Business equipment and plant on lease**  
 (\$ million)

Quarter ended—			Initial capital cost of goods newly leased during quarter	Balances outstanding at end of quarter
December 1969	..	..	51.6	297.9
March 1970	..	..	49.7	317.1
June 1970	..	..	59.0	342.7
September 1970	..	..	57.4	366.7
December 1970	..	..	69.7	396.8
March 1971	..	..	63.0	426.7

## BANKS ETC., INTEREST RATES

	Rate per annum	Date from which operative	Previous rate per annum
	Per cent		Per cent
LENDING RATES			
Reserve Bank of Australia—Rural Credits Department—			
Government guaranteed loans .. .. .	5.00	8.8.69	4.75
Other .. .. .	5.25	8.8.69	5.00
Commonwealth Development Bank of Australia—rural ..	(basic) 6.25	1.8.69	6.00
industrial ..	(basic) 7.25	6.4.70	6.75
Trading banks—			
Overdraft (general)(a) .. .. .	8.25	9.3.70	7.75
Unsecured personal loans(a)(b) .. .. .	6.50	9.3.70	6.25
Savings banks—			
Housing loans .. .. .	up to 7.00	1.4.70	up to 6.25
Other .. .. .	up to 8.25	1.4.70	up to 7.75
Life insurance companies—loans on own policies(c) ..	7.00–8.50	Jul '70	6.00–8.50

## DEPOSIT RATES

Trading banks—Fixed deposits (less than \$50,000)(a)—				
3 months and less than 12 months .. .. .	5.00	8.12.70	(d)	4.80
12 months and less than 18 months .. .. .	5.00	9.3.70	(d)	4.70
18 months to 24 months .. .. .	5.30	9.3.70	(d)	5.00
Fixed deposits (\$50,000 and over)(a)—				
30 days to 24 months .. .. .	5.50	9.3.70	(e)	5.00
Certificates of deposit (\$50,000 and over)(a)—				
3 months to 24 months .. .. .	5.50	9.3.70		5.00
Savings Banks .. .. .	(f) up to 5.00	1.4.70	(g)(h)	3.75
Australian Resources Development Bank Ltd—				
Term deposits(i)—4 years .. .. .	6.50	13.4.70		6.00
5 years .. .. .	6.75	13.4.70		6.25
Transferable deposits (j)— 5 years .. .. .	(k) 7.50	2.6.70	(k)	6.50
10 years .. .. .	(k) 7.75	2.6.70	(k)	6.75

(a) Maximum rate or yield. (b) Flat rate. (c) Predominant rate. (d) On deposits of less than \$100,000.  
 (e) On deposits of \$100,000 and over. (f) For other than society cheque accounts the maximum interest bearing amount in any one account is \$70,000. This limit does not apply to society cheque accounts. (g) The Hobart Savings Bank, Launceston Bank for Savings, Savings Bank of South Australia and Rural and Industries Bank of Western Australia paid 4.00 per cent. (h) See footnote (f)—maximum \$10,000. (i) Minimum deposit \$10,000 and thereafter in multiples of \$1,000. (j) Minimum deposit \$100 and thereafter in multiples of \$100. (k) Interest rate at issue of security.

## SECURITY YIELDS AND SHORT-TERM MONEY MARKET INTEREST RATES

(Per cent per annum)

(Source: Reserve Bank of Australia)

Month(a)	Commonwealth government securities					Short-term Money Market
	Treasury Notes(b)		Non-rebateable(c)			Weighted average rate on loans outstanding
	13 week notes	26 week notes	2 year bond(d)	10 year bond(d)	20 year bond(d)	
1967 June .. ..	4.26	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	4.46
1968 June .. ..	4.42	4.51	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	4.29
1969 June .. ..	4.79	4.91	5.25	5.71	5.87	5.48
1970 April .. ..	5.41	5.48	6.50	6.94	7.00	5.49
May .. ..	5.41	5.48	6.45	6.85	7.00	5.44
June .. ..	5.41	5.48	6.48	6.86	6.99	6.12
July .. ..	5.41	5.48	6.45	6.89	7.00	5.72
August .. ..	5.65	5.80	6.35	6.87	6.99	5.46
September .. ..	5.65	5.80	6.40	6.87	6.99	5.18
October .. ..	5.65	5.80	6.43	6.88	6.99	5.54
November .. ..	5.65	5.80	6.43	6.83	7.00	4.97
December .. ..	5.65	5.80	6.44	6.81	6.99	4.90
1971 January .. ..	5.65	5.80	6.45	6.85	6.99	5.29
February .. ..	5.65	5.80	6.48	6.85	7.00	4.94
March .. ..	5.65	5.80	6.40	6.84	6.99	4.97
April .. ..	5.49	5.65	6.35	6.85	6.99	5.67
May .. ..	5.49	5.65	6.40	6.82	7.00	5.58
June .. ..	5.37	5.57	6.30	6.83	6.99	5.91

(a) Data are compiled at or near the end of the month, except for the short-term money market rate which is a weighted average of weekly figures. (b) Issue yield. Public Treasury Bills are also issued for a period of not more than 3 months at a discount rate of 1 per cent per annum (unchanged since August 1952). (c) Bonds issued from 1 November 1968 are referred to as 'non-rebateable' bonds. Bonds issued prior to that date are referred to as 'rebateable' bonds because income from them is subject to income tax at current rates less a rebate of 10 cents in each dollar of Commonwealth loan interest included in taxable income. (d) Average for week centred on last Wednesday of month; security yields shown are those applying if no brokerage is charged. Figures for June 1969 are average yields on bonds maturing in May 1971, November 1978 and May 1990; from January 1970 theoretical yields are shown.

# OVERSEAS EXCHANGE RATES: AVERAGE TELEGRAPHIC TRANSFER SELLING RATES—SYDNEY ON OVERSEAS COUNTRIES

Country	Basis of quotation	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71	June 1970	June 1971
Belgium	Francs to \$A1	54.99	55.39	55.22	55.11	55.03	55.59
Canada	Dollars to \$A1	1.20	1.19	1.19	1.13	1.16	1.15
Ceylon	Ruppes to \$A1	5.99	6.58	6.59	6.59	6.59	6.58
China (mainland)(a)	New Yuan to \$A1	2.74	2.72	2.72	2.72	2.72	2.72
Denmark	Kroner to \$A1	8.04	8.30	8.32	8.32	8.32	8.38
France	Francs to \$A1	5.45	5.49	6.08	6.13	6.12	6.19
Germany, Federal Republic of	Deutsche Marks to \$A1	4.43	4.40	4.16	4.02	4.03	3.93
Hong Kong	Dollars to \$A1	6.61	6.76	6.74	6.74	6.74	6.74
India	Ruppes to \$A1	8.33	8.33	8.33	8.33	8.33	8.33
Italy	Lire to \$A1	690.00	689.00	696.00	694.00	696.00	699.00
Japan	Yen to \$A1	400.95	396.01	396.96	397.36	397.81	399.72
Netherlands	Guilders to \$A1	3.99	4.01	4.02	3.99	4.02	3.98
New Zealand(b)	\$A to \$N.Z.1	1.0986	1.0020	1.0020	1.002	1.002	1.002
Norway	Kroner to \$A1	7.91	7.88	7.92	7.92	7.93	7.95
Pakistan	Ruppes to \$A1	5.28	5.28	5.29	5.29	5.29	5.29
Singapore	Dollars to \$A1	3.40	3.38	3.40	3.41	3.41	3.41
South Africa, Republic of	Rands to \$A1	0.795	0.795	0.795	0.795	0.795	0.795
Sweden	Kronor to \$A1	5.72	5.71	5.74	5.75	5.75	5.78
Switzerland	Francs to \$A1	4.81	4.77	4.78	4.76	4.79	4.59
U.S.S.R.(a)	Roubles to \$A1	1.004	1.004	1.004	1.006	1.004	1.004
United Kingdom(c)	\$A to £1 stg	2.2948	2.1514	2.1514	2.1514	2.1514	2.1514
United States of America	Dollars to \$A1	1.11	1.11	1.11	1.12	1.11	1.12

(a) Rates of exchange used in converting import values to Australian currency for purposes of calculating customs duty. (b) On 10 July 1967 New Zealand adopted a decimal system of currency with \$N.Z.1 equal to 10s. in the previous currency. (c) On 18 November 1967 the valuation of the £1g by 14.7 per cent was announced—a reduction from \$2.5100 to \$2.1514 in the Australian exchange rate. Of the countries listed above, Denmark, Hong Kong and New Zealand also devalued.

## SHORT TERM MONEY MARKET

Selected assets and liabilities of authorised dealers and rates of interest on loans

(Source: Reserve Bank of Australia)

Month	Liabilities to clients			Selected assets			Interest rates on loans accepted during month				Weighted average interest rate on loans outstanding (b)
	All Trading banks	Other clients	Total	Commonwealth Government securities (face value)	Commercial bills (a)	Banks' Certificates of Deposits	At call		For fixed periods		
							Minimum	Maximum	Minimum	Maximum	
Average of weekly figures—\$ million							Per cent per annum				
June 1961	68.8	125.4	194.2	200.8	..	..	2.50	4.88	3.50	4.83	4.17
June 1962	55.8	177.0	232.8	242.4	..	..	2.00	4.00	3.00	3.88	3.45
June 1963	58.0	209.0	267.0	286.8	..	..	2.50	4.25	3.13	4.25	3.75
June 1964	67.2	253.6	320.8	341.2	..	..	1.50	4.50	3.38	4.50	3.71
June 1965	93.8	218.8	312.6	343.4	7.6	..	1.50	6.00	2.00	5.53	4.16
June 1966	74.8	275.4	350.2	373.3	25.2	..	3.00	6.10	4.25	5.80	4.73
June 1967	88.8	367.6	456.4	467.7	32.8	..	3.00	6.50	3.00	5.50	4.46
June 1968	87.7	406.5	494.2	491.3	35.7	..	3.00	6.75	3.75	5.40	4.29
June 1969	94.9	398.7	493.6	505.6	28.9	15.0	2.00	7.50	4.00	6.75	4.59
June 1970	102.8	464.2	567.0	575.4	38.3	3.6	3.50	8.80	4.50	8.50	6.12
September 1970	145.1	454.8	599.9	576.2	41.0	3.1	2.00	8.25	4.00	7.50	5.18
December 1970(c)	137.3	469.1	606.4	593.0	30.1	3.0	1.00	9.00	3.50	7.00	4.90
March 1971	115.1	575.4	690.5	674.2	28.6	2.9	1.00	8.75	3.00	7.50	4.97
June 1971	142.0	555.2	697.2	682.0	45.4	3.4	2.00	9.50	4.00	8.00	5.91

(a) Since 22 March 1965, authorised dealers have been permitted to hold in addition to Commonwealth Government Securities a limited proportion of their portfolios in specified bills of exchange. (b) As at last Wednesday. (c) Excludes one Wednesday.

## LIFE INSURANCE BUSINESS IN AUSTRALIA

New policies issued and policies discontinued or reduced(a)

Period	New policies issued							Policies discontinued or reduced <sup>(b)</sup> Total sum insured
	Ordinary business		Superannuation business		Industrial business		Total sum insured	
	No	Sum insured	No.	Sum insured	No.	Sum insured		
		\$ million		\$ million		\$ million		
Year—								\$ million
1965-66(c)	347,796	1,651.8	93,069	906.1	130,363	125.1	2,683.0	1,123.2
1966-67(c)	383,606	1,925.3	95,325	991.9	134,695	135.0	3,052.1	1,144.5
1967-68(c)	398,209	2,300.9	87,839	1,149.3	136,957	145.4	3,595.6	1,299.8
1968-69(c)	436,160	2,808.5	92,280	1,388.1	136,395	155.7	4,352.3	1,568.9
1969-70	492,334	3,380.2	79,421	1,803.4	142,051	177.3	5,360.9	2,038.7
Quarter ended—								
December 1969	122,218	872.0	21,769	699.4	31,631	40.2	1,611.7	594.1
March 1970	93,755	672.5	15,683	278.9	28,839	36.3	987.7	484.9
June 1970	139,719	961.2	17,318	421.4	41,286	52.7	1,435.3	511.0
September 1970	143,347	994.2	20,133	733.1	37,381	56.5	1,783.9	573.6
December 1970	131,696	1,191.3	19,741	884.2	31,313	54.9	2,130.3	668.2
March 1971	109,237	898.1	14,287	378.5	27,157	44.7	1,321.2	590.5

(a) Excludes annuity policies. (b) Includes policies matured, surrendered, forfeited or converted to other classes of business, etc. (c) Prior to July 1969 excludes business of the Government Insurance Office of New South Wales and the Queensland State Government Insurance Office which operate only in New South Wales and Queensland respectively. Includes Papua and New Guinea.

Premiums received, amounts paid on claims, surrenders, etc., and new loans paid over  
(\$'000)

Period	Premiums(a)(b)				Claims, etc., paid(b)(c)				New loans paid over(d)
	Ordinary business	Superannuation business	Industrial business	Total	Ordinary business	Superannuation business	Industrial business	Total	
Year—									
1965-66(e)	270,253	120,583	35,568	426,405	120,094	50,807	28,863	199,763	185,965
1966-67(e)	300,317	135,626	38,436	474,380	139,802	59,939	25,557	225,298	163,605
1967-68(e)	337,835	161,687	37,368	536,890	155,618	70,864	20,507	246,988	193,971
1968-69(e)	387,838	176,954	40,724	605,516	168,258	75,377	21,652	265,287	223,968
1969-70	449,371	209,594	41,264	700,230	206,975	102,202	23,572	332,750	247,512
Quarter ended—									
December 1969	102,960	49,661	12,121	164,742	50,229	24,868	5,948	81,045	63,997
March 1970	94,710	47,299	8,126	150,135	44,386	24,929	5,198	74,513	50,884
June 1970	138,103	60,887	10,461	209,450	60,225	28,244	6,262	94,732	64,182
September 1970	124,621	61,542	11,357	197,520	59,671	31,229	6,236	97,135	55,128
December 1970	121,249	55,445	14,029	190,723	59,566	30,123	6,332	96,021	59,709
March 1971	108,552	57,799	9,233	175,584	52,628	28,259	5,784	86,671	50,451

(a) Includes consideration for annuities. (b) From July 1969 excludes Papua and New Guinea. (c) Includes claims paid on account of death or maturity, amounts paid on surrender of policy, annuities and bonuses paid in cash. (d) Excludes advances of premiums. Includes Papua and New Guinea. (e) Prior to July 1969 excludes business of the Government Insurance Office of New South Wales and the Queensland State Government Insurance Office which operate only in New South Wales and Queensland respectively.

Selected assets held in Australia by life insurance companies(a)  
(\$'000)

Class of asset	End of—				
	March 1970	June 1970	September 1970	December 1970	March 1971
Fixed assets .. .. .	649,128	694,515	722,624	758,773	796,897
Loans (excluding advances of premiums)—					
On mortgage—					
Housing .. .. .	416,077	422,284	427,104	437,032	439,121
Other .. .. .	775,631	780,640	787,221	791,229	789,880
On policies .. .. .	202,762	212,249	219,038	224,784	230,587
Other .. .. .	54,729	51,630	45,712	49,521	52,581
Total loans .. .. .	1,449,200	1,466,803	1,479,076	1,502,565	1,512,169
Investments—					
Government securities .. .. .	1,221,893	1,243,324	1,284,210	1,316,179	1,340,717
Local and semi-government securities .. .. .	452,089	462,896	480,312	500,407	513,522
Debentures and notes .. .. .	556,403	569,546	585,794	580,863	591,380
Shares .. .. .	809,281	838,598	874,376	905,513	920,289
Other .. .. .	42,642	41,339	39,761	42,504	43,677
Total investments .. .. .	3,082,308	3,155,704	3,264,453	3,345,466	3,409,585
Cash on hand and on deposit .. .. .	24,629	27,129	24,855	21,902	26,379
Total selected assets .. .. .	5,205,265	5,344,151	5,491,008	5,628,706	5,745,030

(a) Includes Papua and New Guinea. Items shown are the balances according to the companies' ledgers at the date at which the information was supplied, without adjustment for items which had not been brought to account at that date.

## NEW CAPITAL RAISINGS BY COMPANIES IN AUSTRALIA

The following statistics show the net amount of cash transferred from the investing public to companies in Australia through the types of capital specified. The definition of new money has been changed as from the September quarter 1970 (See *New Capital Raisings by Companies in Australia*, Reference No. 5.9). The statistics do not include changes in bank overdrafts, loans to authorised dealers in the short-term money market, or deposits accepted by banks, insurance companies, pastoral companies or building societies.

New money raised by companies in Australia: Industry groups  
(\$ million)

Period	Companies listed on stock exchanges			Companies not listed on stock exchanges			Grand total
	Share capital (a)	Debentures, notes, loans and deposits (b)	Total	Share capital (a)	Secured loans (c)	Total	
MANUFACTURING							
Year—							
1965-66 .. ..	94.5	79.9	174.4	13.6	12.8	26.4	200.8
1966-67 .. ..	28.3	101.7	130.0	8.8	15.7	24.5	154.5
1967-68 .. ..	24.7	82.4	107.1	12.7	7.8	20.5	127.6
1968-69 .. ..	92.9	68.3	161.2	14.4	6.3	20.7	181.9
1969-70 .. ..	122.0	54.8	176.8	12.7	3.3	16.0	192.8
Quarter ended—							
December 1968 .. ..	22.0	22.8	44.8	(d)	(d)	6.8	51.6
March 1969 .. ..	34.1	6.7	40.8	1.9	0.2	2.1	42.9
June 1969 .. ..	24.1	13.9	38.0	5.7	0.6	6.3	44.3
September 1969 .. ..	30.1	31.2	61.3	1.9	0.3	2.2	63.5
December 1969 .. ..	17.2	26.0	43.2	2.7	0.4	3.1	46.3
March 1970 .. ..	39.3	0.3	39.6	(d)	(d)	4.7	44.3
June 1970 .. ..	35.4	-2.7	32.7	(d)	(d)	6.0	38.7
September 1970 .. ..	5.8	18.0	23.8	2.3	0.3	2.6	26.4
December 1970 .. ..	32.9	-1.7	31.2				
March 1971 .. ..	12.5	1.1	13.6				
FINANCE AND PROPERTY (b)							
Year—							
1965-66 .. ..	25.3	63.1	88.4	9.4	4.6	14.0	102.4
1966-67 .. ..	4.7	94.9	99.6	6.4	7.4	13.8	113.4
1967-68 .. ..	15.6	255.4	271.0	8.1	6.2	14.3	285.3
1968-69 .. ..	45.9	338.1	384.0	18.9	6.4	25.3	409.3
1969-70 .. ..	36.4	366.7	403.1	20.9	10.2	31.1	434.2
Quarter ended—							
December 1968 .. ..	4.3	87.1	91.4	(d)	(d)	2.3	93.7
March 1969 .. ..	10.1	86.1	96.2	(d)	(d)	7.6	103.8
June 1969 .. ..	29.7	66.4	96.1	(d)	(d)	7.8	103.9
September 1969 .. ..	5.1	111.3	116.4	(d)	(d)	4.0	120.4
December 1969 .. ..	15.7	145.7	161.4	(d)	(d)	2.4	163.8
March 1970 .. ..	10.5	60.8	71.3	(d)	(d)	10.3	81.6
June 1970 .. ..	5.1	48.9	54.0	(d)	(d)	14.4	68.4
September 1970 .. ..	(d)	(d)	191.9	(d)	(d)	7.3	199.2
December 1970 .. ..	11.6	124.2	135.8				
March 1971 .. ..	7.7	-4.9	2.8				
COMMERCE							
Year—							
1965-66 .. ..	25.0	-4.0	21.0	10.1	1.6	11.7	32.7
1966-67 .. ..	32.1	-0.7	31.4	8.5	0.7	9.2	40.6
1967-68 .. ..	7.9	4.3	12.2	8.9	0.8	9.7	21.9
1968-69 .. ..	18.4	30.7	49.1	10.1	2.3	12.4	61.5
1969-70 .. ..	8.9	13.8	22.7	8.4	0.9	9.3	32.0
Quarter ended—							
December 1968 .. ..	6.3	8.3	14.6	1.9	0.5	2.4	17.0
March 1969 .. ..	1.8	-0.2	1.6	(d)	(d)	1.9	3.5
June 1969 .. ..	4.7	-7.2	-2.5	(f)	(d)	4.7	2.2
September 1969 .. ..	(d)	(d)	-6.2	(d)	(d)	1.3	-4.9
December 1969 .. ..	4.4	1.4	5.8	(d)	(d)	3.0	8.8
March 1970 .. ..	(d)	(d)	16.6	(d)	(d)	2.1	18.7
June 1970 .. ..	2.3	4.2	6.5	(d)	(d)	2.9	9.4
September 1970 .. ..	(d)	(d)	15.9	(d)	(d)	1.7	17.6
December 1970 .. ..	3.1	17.6	20.7				
March 1971 .. ..	0.6	0.8	1.4				

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## New money raised by companies in Australia: Industry groups—continued

(\$ million)

Period	Companies listed on stock exchanges			Companies not listed on stock exchanges			Grand total
	Share capital (a)	Debentures, notes, loans and deposits (b)	Total	Share capital (a)	Secured loans (c)	Total	

## OTHER INDUSTRIES

Year—							
1965-66 .. ..	26.5	11.0	37.5	14.5	4.1	18.6	56.1
1966-67 .. ..	47.2	4.6	51.8	13.7	12.7	26.4	78.2
1967-68 .. ..	75.0	6.6	81.6	17.6	3.4	21.0	102.6
1968-69 .. ..	181.5	11.2	192.7	21.5	17.3	38.8	231.5
1969-70 .. ..	285.0	44.8	329.8	33.0	5.3	38.3	368.1
Quarter ended—							
December 1968 ..	45.6	-1.3	44.3	(d)	(d)	14.4	58.7
March 1969 .. ..	22.8	3.8	26.6	(d)	(d)	7.7	34.3
June 1969 .. ..	88.2	3.5	91.7	7.5	1.8	9.3	101.0
September 1969 ..	(d)	(d)	36.7	4.1	1.5	5.6	42.3
December 1969 ..	65.3	4.1	69.4	6.5	2.5	9.0	78.4
March 1970 .. ..	(d)	(d)	108.6	(d)	(d)	10.1	118.7
June 1970 .. ..	109.5	5.6	115.1	(d)	(d)	13.6	128.7
September 1970 ..	81.8	7.2	89.0	4.5	1.8	6.3	95.3
December 1970 ..	87.9	10.4	98.3				
March 1971 .. ..	43.0	13.3	56.3				

## TOTAL ALL INDUSTRIES

Year—				(e)		(e)	(e)
1965-66 .. ..	171.3	149.9	321.2	50.8	23.1	73.9	395.1
1966-67 .. ..	112.4	200.4	312.8	40.4	36.4	76.8	389.6
1967-68 .. ..	122.9	348.7	471.6	50.8	18.1	68.9	540.5
1968-69 .. ..	338.5	448.3	786.8	68.4	32.5	100.9	887.7
1969-70 .. ..	452.3	480.0	932.3	79.5	19.6	99.1	1,031.4
Quarter ended—							
December 1968 ..	78.1	116.9	195.0	13.5	13.4	26.9	221.9
March 1969 .. ..	68.7	96.4	165.1	14.6	5.4	20.0	185.1
June 1969 .. ..	146.6	76.7	223.3	25.0	4.2	29.2	252.5
September 1969 ..	68.5	139.8	208.3	10.2	3.9	14.1	222.4
December 1969 ..	102.6	177.1	279.7	15.1	3.2	18.3	298.0
March 1970 .. ..	128.9	107.1	236.0	21.0	6.9	27.9	263.9
June 1970 .. ..	152.3	56.0	208.3	33.2	5.6	38.8	247.1
September 1970 ..	99.8	220.7	320.5	12.4	7.1	19.5	340.0
December 1970 ..	135.6	150.5	286.1				
March 1971 .. ..	63.8	10.4	74.2				

(a) Includes preference shares. (b) Excludes deposits accepted by banks, insurance companies, pastoral companies and building societies, and loans to authorised dealers in the short-term money market. (c) Includes only loans which are secured by charge over the companies' entire assets. (d) Not available for publication. (e) Small share issues of less than \$2,000 each, for which returns have not been collected, have not been included in the industrial classification above, but are included in the total below. As from the September quarter 1970 issues of nominal value \$200 or less are excluded from the scope of the statistics. Returns have not been collected for issues of nominal value between \$201 and \$10,000.

## OVERSEAS INVESTMENT

The following tables show overseas investment in Australia and Australian investment in companies overseas.

**Inflow of overseas investment in Australia, by category of investment**  
(\$A million)

Year	Inflow of private overseas investment in companies in Australia(a)			Inflow of overseas investment in Australian public authority securities repayable in—			Total
	Direct investment		Portfolio investment and institutional loans	Australian currency (a)	Overseas currencies to—		
	Undistributed income(b)	Other direct investment			Countries overseas	I.B.R.D.	
1965-66 .. ..	125	369	195	-1	-18	-7	662
1966-67 .. ..	115	219	176	-2	47	-23	532
1967-68 .. ..	229	315	417	14	156	-23	1,109
1968-69 .. ..	280	339	402	-1	161	-24	1,157
1969-70 .. ..	295	445	285	6	-103	-19	909

(a) Increases in investment by some overseas investors are offset against withdrawals of investment by other overseas investors. (b) Consists of unremitted profits of Australian branches and undistributed profits of Australian subsidiaries. See below.

— Denotes outflow.

**Inflow of overseas investment in Australia, by domicile of investor**  
(\$A million)

Year	United Kingdom	U.S.A.	Canada	Other Countries	I.B.R.D.	Total
1965-66 .. ..	225	343	(a)	101	—7	662
1966-67 .. ..	47	382	13	111	—23	532
1967-68 .. ..	354	570	39	170	—23	1,109
1968-69 .. ..	453	349	24	355	—24	1,157
1969-70 .. ..	261	397	24	246	—19	909

(a) Included with U.S.A. — Denotes outflow.

**Inflow of private overseas investment in companies in Australia, by category of investment and type of company(a)**  
(\$A million)

Year	Inflow of direct private overseas investment in companies in Australia					Portfolio investment and institutional loans(b)	Total
	Australian branches		Austrian subsidiaries		Total		
	Unremitted profits (net)	Other direct investment	Undistributed profits (net)	Other direct investment			
1965-66	15	86	110	283	493	195	688
1966-67	12	94	103	125	334	176	509
1967-68	34	110	195	205	544	417	962
1968-69	34	148	246	191	619	402	1,021
1969-70	48	148	247	296	740	285	1,025

(a) Increases in investment by some overseas investors are offset against withdrawals of investment by other overseas investors. (b) Partly estimated. Includes portfolio investment and loans raised overseas from financial institutions and other companies which have no direct investment in the borrowing company in Australia.

**Inflow of private overseas investment in companies in Australia  
by domicile of investor and broad category of investment(a)  
(\$A million)**

Year		United Kingdom	U.S.A.	Canada	Japan	E.E.C (b)	Other Countries	Total
<b>DIRECT INVESTMENT—UNDISTRIBUTED INCOME(c)</b>								
1965-66	.. ..	63	52	2	..	2	7	125
1966-67	.. ..	60	47	4	..	-3	6	115
1967-68	.. ..	116	88	16	2	..	8	229
1968-69	.. ..	143	118	12	3	-4	8	280
1969-70	.. ..	165	109	13	-2	1	9	295
<b>DIRECT INVESTMENT—OTHER INVESTMENT</b>								
1965-66	.. ..	165	133	9	..	24	38	369
1966-67	.. ..	32	157	5	7	13	4	219
1967-68	.. ..	6	249	19	13	20	9	315
1968-69	.. ..	70	186	7	15	31	30	339
1969-70	.. ..	86	253	22	21	31	31	445
<b>PORTFOLIO INVESTMENT AND INSTITUTIONAL LOANS</b>								
1965-66	.. ..	39	122	3	(d)	(d)	31	195
1966-67	.. ..	27	73	5	(d)	(d)	70	176
1967-68	.. ..	268	56	3	(d)	(d)	91	417
1968-69	.. ..	260	11	4	(d)	(d)	127	402
1969-70	.. ..	104	77	-10	(d)	(d)	115	285
<b>TOTAL</b>								
1965-66	.. ..	266	307	14	(d)	(d)	101	688
1966-67	.. ..	119	277	15	(d)	(d)	98	509
1967-68	.. ..	389	393	38	(d)	(d)	141	962
1968-69	.. ..	472	314	24	(d)	(d)	211	1,021
1969-70	.. ..	354	439	25	(d)	(d)	207	1,025

(a) Increases in investment by some overseas investors are offset against withdrawals of investment by other overseas investors. (b) European Economic Community—includes France, West Germany, Italy, Netherlands, Belgium-Luxembourg, Greece and Turkey. (c) Consists of unremitted profits of Australian branches and undistributed profits of Australian subsidiaries. (d) Included in 'Other Countries'.  
— Denotes outflow.

**Outflow of Australian investment overseas, by broad category of investment  
(\$A million)**

(\$X million)

Year	Outflow of private Australian investment in companies overseas(a)				Outflow of private investment in foreign government securities(a)	Net overseas remittances by life insurance companies	Total
	Direct investment		Portfolio investment (c)				
	Undistributed income(b)	Other direct investment					
1965-66	.. ..	18	20	-5	-1	-5	27
1966-67	.. ..	13	23	-7	..	-2	27
1967-68	.. ..	20	27	-6	..	-5	36
1968-69	.. ..	20	50	-9	..	-11	50
1969-70	.. ..	25	121	2	13	-11	149

(a) Increases in investment by some Australian investors are offset against withdrawals of investment by other Australian investors. (b) Consists of unremitted profits of overseas branches and undistributed profits of overseas subsidiaries. (c) Excludes portfolio investment in Papua and New Guinea. In addition, the negative (-) figures consistently shown for this category of investment indicate a net receipt of funds in Australia. This is explained by the realisation of overseas financial assets by Australian residents, and by former residents of overseas countries who have settled in Australia.  
— Denotes inflow.

## PRIVATE FINANCE

Outflow of Australian investment overseas, by country in which capital invested  
(\$A million)

Year	United Kingdom	New Zealand	U.S.A. and Canada	Papua and New Guinea (a)	Other countries	Total
1965-66 .. ..	-5	17	..	11	4	27
1966-67 .. ..	-10	12	..	18	6	27
1967-68 .. ..	-1	9	-1	21	8	36
1968-69 .. ..	1	13	-5	34	7	50
1969-70 .. ..	25	16	4	99	4	149

(a) Excludes portfolio investment. — Denotes inflow.

Outflow of private Australian investment in companies overseas, by category of investment and type of company(a)  
(\$A million)

Year	Outflow of direct private Australian investment in companies overseas					Portfolio investment (b)	Total
	Overseas branches		Overseas subsidiaries		Total		
	Unremitted profits (net)	Other direct investment	Undis- tributed profits (net)	Other direct investment			
1965-66 .. ..	2	4	16	17	38	-5	33
1966-67 .. ..	-1	14	15	9	37	-7	29
1967-68 .. ..	2	7	18	21	47	-6	41
1968-69 .. ..	-1	15	21	35	70	-9	60
1969-70 .. ..	1	4	24	117	146	2	148

(a) Increases in investment by some Australian investors are offset against withdrawals of investment by other Australian investors. (b) Excludes portfolio investment in Papua and New Guinea. In addition, the negative (-) figures consistently shown for this category of investment indicate a net receipt of funds in Australia. This is explained by the realisation of overseas financial assets by Australian residents and by the former residents of overseas countries who have settled in Australia.

— Denotes inflow.

Outflow of private Australian investment in companies overseas, by country in which capital invested and category of investment(a)  
(\$A million)

Year	United Kingdom	New Zealand	U.S.A. and Canada	Papua and New Guinea (b)	Other countries	Total
UNDISTRIBUTED INCOME(c)						
1965-66 .. ..	-1	9	1	2	6	18
1966-67 .. ..	-2	8	..	2	6	13
1967-68 .. ..	..	8	..	5	6	20
1968-69 .. ..	..	9	1	5	6	20
1969-70 .. ..	-1	9	1	8	9	25
OTHER INVESTMENT(d)						
1965-66 .. ..	2	5	..	9	..	16
1966-67 .. ..	-2	1	..	16	1	16
1967-68 .. ..	..	-1	1	16	5	21
1968-69 .. ..	8	5	-3	30	1	41
1969-70 .. ..	30	9	6	80	-2	123
TOTAL						
1965-66 .. ..	2	14	1	11	6	33
1966-67 .. ..	-4	8	..	18	7	29
1967-68 .. ..	..	8	1	21	11	41
1968-69 .. ..	6	14	-2	35	7	60
1969-70 .. ..	29	17	7	88	7	148

(a) Increases in investment by some Australian investors are offset against withdrawals of investment by other Australian investors. (b) Excludes portfolio investment. (c) Consists of unremitted profits of overseas branches and undistributed profits of overseas subsidiaries. (d) Consists of other direct investment in overseas branches and subsidiaries and portfolio investment.

— Denotes inflow.

Net annual flow of investment between Australia and overseas countries  
(\$A million)

Year	Annual inflow of investment	Annual outflow of investment	Net annual flow
1965-66	662	27	635
1966-67	532	27	505
1967-68	1,109	36	1,073
1968-69	1,157	50	1,108
1969-70	909	149	760

Net annual flow of investment between Australia and overseas countries, by country  
(\$A million)

Year	United Kingdom	New Zealand	U.S.A. and Canada	Other countries	I.B.R.D.	Net annual flow
1965-66	230	-16	343	85	-7	635
1966-67	57	-14	396	89	-23	505
1967-68	355	-11	610	142	-23	1,073
1968-69	451	-17	379	318	-24	1,108
1969-70	236	9	417	118	-19	760

-- Denotes outflow.

## UNIT TRUSTS, LAND TRUSTS AND MUTUAL FUNDS

The following statistics do not include details of superannuation funds conducted by unit trust management companies.

(\$ million)

Period	Cash transactions in respect of trust units and fund shares		Purchases and sales of investments(a)		Total market value of trusts and funds at end of period (f)
	Total amount received for trust units and fund shares issued(b)	Total amount paid for trust units and fund shares repurchased(c)	Purchases(d)	Sales(e)	
<b>Year—</b>					
1966-67 .. ..	20.2	21.1	20.5	17.7	224.4
1967-68 .. ..	30.9	35.1	33.0	40.8	267.5
1968-69 .. ..	41.6	42.0	48.2	54.6	276.6
1969-70 .. ..	59.0	32.3	61.1	50.8	293.9
1970-71 .. ..					
<b>Quarter ended—</b>					
March 1969 .. ..	9.0	10.0	10.5	12.6	281.1
June 1969 .. ..	12.3	9.4	13.2	12.5	276.6
September 1969 .. ..	8.5	6.3	12.8	10.8	279.3
December 1969 .. ..	13.0	8.5	15.0	12.8	293.9
March 1970 .. ..	15.5	9.5	16.9	15.6	293.9
June 1970 .. ..	22.0	8.0	16.3	11.6	293.9
September 1970 .. ..	13.8	12.3	15.7	12.8	303.2
December 1970 .. ..	17.6	8.1	20.5	11.6	293.4
March 1971 .. ..	7.6	10.5	15.2	15.5	281.6
June 1971 .. ..	16.0	8.3	21.0	11.6	287.2

(a) Commonwealth Government, local authority and semi-government securities, shares, debentures, unsecured notes, loans, deposits on term or notice of three months or longer, land and buildings, etc. (b) Includes re-issues and new issues. Includes fees and expenses. (c) Includes those units and fund shares intended for re-issue. (d) Payments for assets acquired during period. Includes brokerage and stamp duty. (e) Receipts for assets sold or redeemed during period. Excludes brokerage and stamp duty. (f) Includes value of land trusts at valuation.

## SECTION XII. PUBLIC FINANCE

### COMMONWEALTH AUTHORITIES: BUDGET SUB-SECTOR: SUMMARY OF TRANSACTIONS

NOTE. This table is based on information published in annual and quarterly statements issued by the Commonwealth Treasury.

(\$ million)

	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
<b>Receipts(a)—</b>				
Taxes .. .. .	4,894	5,466	6,323	7,150
National Debt Sinking Fund .. .. .	141	154	156	156
Net increase in other balances of the Commonwealth in the Trust Fund .. .. .	46	55	64	61
Other revenue .. .. .	450	537	572	664
<b>Total receipts .. .. .</b>	<b>5,531</b>	<b>6,213</b>	<b>7,115</b>	<b>8,030</b>
<b>Expenditure(a)—</b>				
Defence Services .. .. .	1,113	1,162	1,101	1,135
Payments to or for the States and works and housing programmes .. .. .	2,031	2,167	2,417	2,843
Payment to National Welfare Fund .. .. .	1,075	1,162	1,342	1,477
Repatriation Services .. .. .	260	284	297	315
Debt Charges .. .. .	106	112	109	108
Departmental running expenses .. .. .	361	401	469	544
Territories .. .. .	61	73	84	100
External economic aid .. .. .	126	138	153	163
Commonwealth payments to industry .. .. .	204	241	224	317
Other expenditures .. .. .	296	343	368	415
Advances for capital purposes .. .. .	368	324	365	448
Other capital works and services .. .. .	171	190	194	240
<b>Total expenditure .. .. .</b>	<b>6,173</b>	<b>6,598</b>	<b>7,121</b>	<b>8,106</b>
<b>Deficit .. .. .</b>	<b>642</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>75</b>
<b>Financing—</b>				
<b>Overseas—</b>				
United States Defence Credits (net) .. .. .	118	55	-3	7
Aircraft loans for Qantas Airways and Australian National Airlines Commission (net) .. .. .	49	-12	-16	20
Other overseas loan proceeds (net) .. .. .	-35	100	-112	-72
<b>Total net proceeds overseas .. .. .</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>-131</b>	<b>-46</b>
<b>Funds provided for International Monetary Fund drawings in Australian currency .. .. .</b>	<b>-59</b>	<b>-5</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>-37</b>
<b>Australia—</b>				
Net loan proceeds(b) .. .. .	297	381	263	205
Net change in Treasury Notes on Issue(c) .. .. .	184	-68	47	18
Net Advance to Australian Wheat Board .. .. .	..	..	-184	65
Other financing transactions(d) .. .. .	37	62	45	27
<b>Residual financing—</b>				
Borrowings from Reserve Bank .. .. .	51	-127	-14	..
Use of cash balances .. .. .	..	..	-19	-157
<b>Total Australian financing transactions .. .. .</b>	<b>569</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>158</b>
<b>Total financing transactions .. .. .</b>	<b>642</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>75</b>

(a) Figures for each year have been adjusted for accounting changes occurring in 1968-69 and 1970-71. (b) Includes State domestic raisings. (c) Includes Treasury notes issued to the Reserve Bank to finance an advance to the Australian Wheat Board. (d) Includes funds obtained from coinage and bullion transactions, amounts borrowed by Commonwealth trust accounts, net amounts available from Commonwealth trust accounts, transactions in Commonwealth Government securities, amounts available from moneys held in trust, etc.

**COMMONWEALTH AUTHORITIES: CURRENT ACCOUNT(a)**  
(\$ million)

	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
Indirect taxes .. .. .	1,822	2,005	2,210	2,452
Direct taxes on income .. .. .	3,031	3,411	4,046	4,607
Other direct taxes, fees, fines, etc. .. .. .	101	113	126	125
Interest, etc., received .. .. .	25	34	39	53
Public enterprises income .. .. .	219	271	301	331
<b>Total receipts .. .. .</b>	<b>5,198</b>	<b>5,834</b>	<b>6,722</b>	<b>7,568</b>
Net current expenditure on goods and services—				
Education .. .. .	29	35	42	57
Health and welfare .. .. .	47	55	67	78
Defence .. .. .	1,041	1,078	1,017	1,068
Overseas adjustment .. .. .	—57	—61	—28	—7
Repatriation .. .. .	72	77	84	93
Development of resources and assistance to industry .. .. .	133	150	164	176
Civil Aviation .. .. .	31	33	38	43
Immigration .. .. .	38	53	59	60
Other .. .. .	273	304	346	401
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>1,607</b>	<b>1,724</b>	<b>1,789</b>	<b>1,969</b>
Subsidies paid .. .. .	151	231	215	261
Adjustment of subsidies to payable basis .. .. .	27	—24	42	6
Interest, etc., paid .. .. .	35	26	23	13
Overseas grants and contributions .. .. .	154	159	180	185
Cash benefits to persons .. .. .	1,294	1,406	1,598	1,771
Grants towards private capital expenditure .. .. .	57	32	33	35
Grants to State and local authorities .. .. .	1,057	1,155	1,309	1,652
Surplus on current account .. .. .	816	1,124	1,534	1,675
<b>Total outlay .. .. .</b>	<b>5,198</b>	<b>5,834</b>	<b>6,722</b>	<b>7,568</b>

(a) This table represents a reclassification in a National Accounts form of the current transactions of all Commonwealth authorities. It includes transactions in respect of the Australian Capital Territory and Northern Territory and the various Commonwealth semi-government authorities. Taxation receipts have been adjusted by offsetting payments of income tax by Commonwealth semi-government authorities.

**COMMONWEALTH AUTHORITIES: GROSS FIXED CAPITAL EXPENDITURE  
ON NEW ASSETS**  
(\$ million)

	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
Public enterprises .. .. .	449	432	511	526
Public authorities .. .. .	132	148	156	187
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>581</b>	<b>580</b>	<b>667</b>	<b>713</b>

**COMMONWEALTH LOAN FUND—RECEIPTS**  
(\$ million)

	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
<b>Loans raised for the Commonwealth—</b>				
Balance from 30 June .. .. .	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Loans raised in Australia .. .. .	410.8	9.1	390.7	470.1
Loans raised overseas .. .. .	274.1	274.3	110.4	125.7
<b>Total loans raised .. .. .</b>	<b>684.9</b>	<b>283.5</b>	<b>501.1</b>	<b>595.8</b>
<b>Less expenses of flotation .. .. .</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>0.7</b>
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>683.2</b>	<b>279.2</b>	<b>499.7</b>	<b>595.1</b>
<b>Loans raised for the States—</b>				
Balance from 30 June .. .. .	..	..	..	..
Loans raised in Australia .. .. .	714.6	684.1	912.8	876.3
Loans raised overseas .. .. .	..	..	..	..
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>714.6</b>	<b>684.1</b>	<b>912.8</b>	<b>876.3</b>

**COMMONWEALTH LOAN FUND—EXPENDITURE**  
(\$ million)

	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
<b>Loans raised for the Commonwealth—</b>				
Assistance to States for housing .. .. .	122.8	126.0	132.2	141.6
Capital assistance to States .. .. .	..	..	..	83.3
Defence services .. .. .	461.4	91.2	46.9	56.9
War and repatriation services .. .. .	5.2	4.3	3.4	3.4
Loan—Qantas .. .. .	60.6	6.4	3.2	30.0
Loan—Australian National Airlines Commission .. .. .	4.5	8.2	8.1	17.1
Mount Isa railway agreement .. .. .	0.6	..	..	..
Drought Bonds .. .. .	..	..	1.7	0.4
Australian Wheat Board .. .. .	..	..	250.2	190.0
Redemptions .. .. .	27.9	42.9	53.8	72.4
Balance at 30 June .. .. .	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>683.2</b>	<b>279.2</b>	<b>499.7</b>	<b>595.2</b>
<b>Loans raised for the States—</b>				
Proceeds paid to States—				
New South Wales .. .. .	172.2	182.1	194.6	148.9
Victoria .. .. .	139.7	146.6	157.9	121.7
Queensland .. .. .	60.5	68.5	86.0	67.9
South Australia .. .. .	71.8	77.8	82.7	60.0
Western Australia .. .. .	53.2	54.8	59.3	48.4
Tasmania .. .. .	38.9	40.8	45.4	34.6
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>536.5</b>	<b>570.6</b>	<b>625.8</b>	<b>481.5</b>
<b>Redemptions .. .. .</b>	<b>178.1</b>	<b>113.5</b>	<b>287.1</b>	<b>394.8</b>
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>714.6</b>	<b>684.1</b>	<b>912.8</b>	<b>876.3</b>

**COMMONWEALTH INCOME TAX, INCOME YEAR 1968-69  
(ASSESSMENT YEAR 1969-70)**

**Resident-Individuals**

Grade of actual income and office of assessment					Taxpayers	Total actual income(a)	Salary and wages in assessable income	Total taxable income(b)	Net income tax assessed
\$	\$				No.	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
417- 599	..	..	..	..	134,711	69,243	55,673	66,395	1,419
600- 799	..	..	..	..	170,067	118,840	91,649	110,075	3,513
800- 999	..	..	..	..	172,464	155,347	117,694	141,660	6,300
1,000- 1,199	..	..	..	..	195,168	214,710	161,595	192,573	10,726
1,200- 1,399	..	..	..	..	209,838	272,881	204,064	242,820	16,025
1,400- 1,599	..	..	..	..	227,948	342,491	252,513	303,837	23,024
1,600- 1,799	..	..	..	..	249,636	424,276	315,961	375,760	32,133
1,800- 1,999	..	..	..	..	255,666	485,503	360,326	427,406	40,471
2,000- 2,199	..	..	..	..	254,745	534,884	390,039	463,815	47,353
2,200- 2,399	..	..	..	..	252,492	580,440	415,852	493,622	53,978
2,400- 2,599	..	..	..	..	251,953	629,888	442,763	524,794	60,635
2,600- 2,799	..	..	..	..	253,298	683,393	472,570	557,821	67,734
2,800- 2,999	..	..	..	..	249,701	723,935	497,258	583,524	74,441
3,000- 3,199	..	..	..	..	244,860	759,061	514,677	603,092	80,271
3,200- 3,399	..	..	..	..	233,757	770,877	520,461	607,380	84,489
3,400- 3,599	..	..	..	..	217,018	759,230	510,080	595,394	86,411
3,600- 3,799	..	..	..	..	199,456	737,411	494,251	576,418	87,127
3,800- 3,999	..	..	..	..	175,950	685,662	455,272	534,473	83,949
4,000- 4,999	..	..	..	..	594,708	2,639,919	1,696,174	2,046,539	354,217
5,000- 5,999	..	..	..	..	282,674	1,538,617	918,125	1,190,312	238,376
6,000- 7,999	..	..	..	..	215,473	1,464,630	758,975	1,139,140	265,319
8,000- 9,999	..	..	..	..	72,232	639,421	264,133	509,914	140,613
10,000-11,999	..	..	..	..	33,743	367,292	126,510	299,250	93,921
12,000-13,999	..	..	..	..	18,873	243,484	73,323	201,509	70,182
14,000-15,999	..	..	..	..	11,219	167,404	43,970	140,596	53,187
16,000-17,999	..	..	..	..	7,162	121,169	30,877	102,621	41,359
18,000-19,999	..	..	..	..	4,571	86,480	20,464	73,721	31,327
20,000-29,999	..	..	..	..	8,845	209,293	44,054	181,737	85,481
30,000-39,999	..	..	..	..	2,121	71,982	13,551	62,995	33,110
40,000-59,999	..	..	..	..	1,000	47,426	8,752	41,674	23,699
60,000-99,999	..	..	..	..	349	25,641	3,450	22,522	13,508
100,000 and over	..	..	..	..	131	22,102	1,612	18,891	12,153
<b>Total</b>	..	..	..	..	<b>5,201,829</b>	<b>16,592,933</b>	<b>10,276,669</b>	<b>13,432,342</b>	<b>2,316,451</b>
Central Office(c)	..	..	..	..	14,235	111,006	26,424	93,291	32,651
New South Wales	..	..	..	..	1,916,313	6,208,011	4,009,598	5,057,071	874,693
Victoria	..	..	..	..	1,476,754	4,716,867	2,972,657	3,837,528	670,576
Queensland	..	..	..	..	678,691	2,058,760	1,160,552	1,621,584	263,684
South Australia	..	..	..	..	485,410	1,442,802	883,236	1,162,316	183,702
Western Australia	..	..	..	..	400,388	1,303,702	739,147	1,064,824	187,554
Tasmania	..	..	..	..	154,030	463,578	289,817	366,062	58,520
Northern Territory	..	..	..	..	19,629	76,040	44,957	55,303	10,844
Australian Capital Territory	..	..	..	..	56,379	212,168	150,281	174,364	34,227
<b>Total</b>	..	..	..	..	<b>5,201,829</b>	<b>16,592,933</b>	<b>10,276,669</b>	<b>13,432,342</b>	<b>2,316,451</b>

(a) Actual income means, broadly, 'Gross income, including exempt income, less the expenditure incurred in gaining that income.' (b) Taxable income is the income remaining after deducting from the assessable income all the allowable deductions. (c) Taxpayers who derive income (other than salary and wages and dividends) from sources in more than one State lodge their returns at Central Office.

**COMMONWEALTH INCOME TAX, INCOME YEAR 1968-69**  
**(ASSESSMENT YEAR 1969-70)**

**Resident and non-resident companies**

Grade of taxable income		Taxable			Non-taxable		
\$	\$	Companies	Taxable income	Net income tax assessed(a)	Companies	Taxable income(b)	Loss for year
<b>PRIVATE</b>							
Loss	.. ..	No.	\$'000	\$'000	No.	\$'000	\$'000
Nil ..	.. ..	..	..	..	29,576	..	141,325
1- 1,999	.. ..	19,762	15,073	4,292	13,821	..	..
2,000- 9,999	.. ..	29,453	162,512	45,071	3,316	2,767	..
10,000- 19,999	.. ..	12,033	165,373	49,082	4,175	20,966	..
20,000- 39,999	.. ..	5,986	165,903	53,337	1,226	17,178	..
40,000- 99,999	.. ..	3,290	195,522	65,373	578	15,820	..
100,000- 199,999	.. ..	759	103,312	35,691	278	16,574	..
200,000- 399,999	.. ..	254	67,719	22,638	59	7,811	..
400,000- 999,999	.. ..	95	54,115	18,407	23	6,146	..
1,000,000- 1,999,999	.. ..	20	25,582	8,558	5	2,834	..
2,000,000 and over	.. ..	5	14,174	5,012	..	..	..
Total ..	.. ..	71,657	969,285	307,461	53,057	90,096	141,325

**NON-PRIVATE**

Loss	.. ..	..	..	..	2,128	..	101,206
Nil ..	.. ..	..	..	..	2,078	..	..
1- 1,999	.. ..	1,949	831	323	54	36	..
2,000- 9,999	.. ..	1,766	10,524	4,077	68	353	..
10,000- 19,999	.. ..	1,584	21,706	8,570	48	707	..
20,000- 39,999	.. ..	1,118	32,454	13,020	65	1,893	..
40,000- 99,999	.. ..	1,397	90,145	34,435	117	7,758	..
100,000- 199,999	.. ..	936	132,400	48,934	65	9,511	..
200,000- 399,999	.. ..	673	189,628	66,989	47	12,964	..
400,000- 999,999	.. ..	574	351,705	119,668	42	25,253	..
1,000,000- 1,999,999	.. ..	203	287,579	94,381	9	11,782	..
2,000,000 and over	.. ..	211	1,277,075	424,006	9	38,478	..
Total ..	.. ..	10,411	2,394,047	814,403	4,730	108,735	101,206

**ALL COMPANIES**

Private and non-private	.. ..	82,068	3,363,332	1,121,865	57,787	198,831	242,531
Special section	.. ..	2,773	56,400	21,290	7	1	..
Non-profit	.. ..	665	6,562	2,586	1,225	88	977
Co-operative	.. ..	3,527	13,654	5,635	1,218	439	2,054
Total ..	.. ..	89,033	3,439,948	1,151,375	60,237	199,359	245,562

(a) Excludes additional tax levied on the undistributed income of private companies, \$4,384,000. (b) Net income tax assessed is nil because of rebates, etc.

**COMMONWEALTH GIFT DUTY**  
(ASSESSMENTS ISSUED DURING 1969-70)

Grade of value of gift as assessed		Assessments	Value as assessed	Net duty assessed
\$	\$	No.	\$'000	\$'000
1- 1,999	.. ..	690	514	18
2,000- 3,999	.. ..	366	1,033	37
4,000- 5,999	.. ..	1,272	6,256	185
6,000- 7,999	.. ..	1,076	7,297	225
8,000- 9,999	.. ..	809	7,125	219
10,000-19,999	.. ..	2,781	39,468	1,223
20,000-39,999	.. ..	2,139	51,740	2,065
40,000-99,999	.. ..	604	32,428	2,631
100,000 and over	.. ..	70	10,192	1,796
Total		9,807	156,052	8,399

**COMMONWEALTH ESTATE DUTY**  
(ASSESSMENTS ISSUED DURING 1969-70)

Grade of net value of estate		Estates	Gross value as assessed		Statutory exemption (a)	Dutiable value(b)	Net duty payable
			Really	Total			
\$	\$	No.	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
1- 9,999	.. ..	22	74	158	88	47	1
10,000- 19,999	.. ..	2,517	16,849	38,842	24,947	9,067	270
20,000- 29,999	.. ..	3,754	38,952	98,353	60,824	25,846	766
30,000- 39,999	.. ..	2,417	31,851	88,616	34,811	41,888	1,340
40,000- 49,999	.. ..	1,652	25,682	77,530	20,286	46,551	1,995
50,000- 59,999	.. ..	1,208	23,281	69,084	12,181	47,010	2,718
60,000- 79,999	.. ..	1,601	37,530	116,895	12,253	85,321	6,211
80,000- 99,999	.. ..	977	28,270	90,812	4,312	70,392	6,467
100,000-119,999	.. ..	557	20,056	63,029	811	50,668	5,571
120,000-139,999	.. ..	414	17,228	55,674	83	43,699	5,490
140,000-199,999	.. ..	616	28,932	106,036	60	80,829	12,250
200,000-349,999	.. ..	432	26,483	115,213	53	82,704	17,583
350,000-499,999	.. ..	112	8,465	48,195	30	34,164	8,635
500,000-999,999	.. ..	53	6,577	37,089	2	26,971	7,066
1,000,000 and over	.. ..	26	7,666	62,686	15	29,347	7,015
Total		16,358	317,896	1,068,213	170,755	674,504	83,379

(a) Exemption allowable where whole of estate passes to widow or widower, children or grandchildren, is \$20,000 decreasing by \$2 for every \$8 in excess of \$20,000. Where estate does not pass to widow, etc., exemption is \$10,000 decreasing by \$2 for every \$8 in excess of \$10,000. (b) Dutiable value is gross value as assessed less debts and charges, State probate and succession duties, exempt estate and statutory exemption. Rates of duty payable range from 3.0 per cent on \$20,000 and under to 27.9 per cent on \$1,000,000 and over.

## COMMONWEALTH SALES TAX—SALES OF GOODS AND TAX PAYABLE

An indication of fluctuations in the value of wholesale trade is given by the returns made under the Sales Tax Acts. With certain specified exemptions, all goods sold by wholesale in Australia, including imports, are taxable. The returns do not relate to all wholesale trade, as vendors trading only in exempt goods are not required to furnish returns. They do not necessarily cover a constant proportion of all trade. The effects of legislation and administrative changes on the recorded values of taxable and exempt goods respectively are somewhat uncertain, but total recorded sales are affected in smaller degrees. Insufficient information is available to enable adjustments to be made to the crude figures on this account.

(\$ million)

Period	Net sales of taxable and exempt goods	Taxable sales						Sales tax payable
		2½ per cent	12½ per cent	15 per cent	25 per cent	27½ per cent	Total	
Year—								
1966-67 ..	10,640.1	615.3	1,479.7	..	743.2	..	2,838.3	386.2
1967-68 ..	11,489.4	680.5	1,575.9	..	839.0	..	3,095.5	423.8
1968-69 ..	12,299.8	734.6	221.7	1,504.2	906.6	..	3,367.1	498.3
1969-70 ..	13,568.9	789.7	..	1,979.5	1,041.0	..	3,810.2	576.9
Quarter—								
June 1969 ..	3,121.5	172.8	..	424.3	228.6	..	825.6	125.1
September 1969	3,366.0	196.5	..	487.9	265.5	..	949.9	144.5
December 1969	3,591.2	230.7	..	537.4	285.3	..	1,053.4	157.7
March 1970 ..	3,148.0	172.0	..	463.4	235.8	..	871.2	132.8
June 1970 ..	3,463.7	190.6	..	490.8	254.4	..	935.8	142.0
September 1970	3,530.7	206.9	..	529.5	179.4	101.4	1,017.3	157.3
December 1970	3,767.1	260.4	..	587.9	1.2	300.6	1,150.1	177.7
March 1971 ..	3,342.0	200.2	..	496.9	..	243.6	940.7	146.5

## STATE AUTHORITIES: CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUNDS

## SUMMARY OF TRANSACTIONS

NOTE. This table is based on information published in annual and monthly statements issued by each State Treasury.

(\$ million)

	N.S.W. (a)	Vic	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Six State.
TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 1970							
Revenue—							
Commonwealth grants	404.4	303.1	205.0	140.4	141.6	72.8	1,267.2
Taxes	245.4	191.0	71.6	56.5	52.5	19.3	636.3
Business undertakings—							
Railways	247.3	105.2	105.9	34.1	57.2	..	549.7
Other	57.2	34.3	0.3	37.2	9.8	0.3	139.0
Other	122.0	93.3	58.3	55.8	57.2	31.4	418.0
Total	1,076.4	726.9	441.1	323.8	318.2	123.7	3,010.1
Expenditure—							
Debt charges	135.8	130.5	70.0	77.3	52.4	36.5	502.6
Business undertakings(b) —							
Railways	203.6	111.3	104.1	35.2	57.2	1.2	512.6
Other	53.0	14.1	0.2	18.8	22.3	(c) 2.0	110.5
Other	688.4	486.4	270.4	189.6	187.0	81.1	1,902.8
Total	1,080.8	742.3	444.6	320.9	318.9	120.9	3,028.4
Surplus (+) or deficit (—)	-4.4	-15.4	-3.5	+2.9	-0.7	+2.8	-18.3

## TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 1971

Revenue—							
Commonwealth grants	516.1	371.7	252.9	164.2	170.4	80.4	1,555.7
Taxes	246.6	202.8	72.8	58.7	48.4	19.6	649.0
Business undertakings—							
Railways	256.2	108.0	105.6	33.6	61.8	..	565.2
Other	62.5	20.9	..	43.6	9.4	..	136.3
Other	173.5	129.5	67.8	72.2	77.3	38.2	558.3
Total	1,254.9	832.8	499.0	372.4	367.3	138.2	3,464.5
Expenditure—							
Debt charges	146.2	165.6	74.5	84.1	54.2	38.6	563.1
Business undertakings(h) —							
Railways	246.1	129.2	112.0	39.4	62.9	..	589.6
Other	67.1	27.3	..	21.7	19.0	(c) 4.9	135.0
Other	803.3	529.5	313.1	227.2	235.5	94.7	2,203.3
Total	1,262.7	846.6	499.6	372.3	371.6	138.2	3,491.1
Surplus (+) or deficit (—)	-7.9	-13.8	-0.5	..	-4.4	..	-26.5

(a) Represents the combined transactions of the Consolidated Revenue Fund and the business undertakings—railways, omnibuses and Harbour Services Section of the Maritime Services Board—included in the annual budget papers. Adjustments have been made to exclude duplications. (b) Excludes interest, etc., charges. (c) Includes loss by Transport Commission and working expenses of Metropolitan Transport Trust.

**STATE AND LOCAL AUTHORITIES: CURRENT ACCOUNT**  
(\$ million)

	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
Indirect taxes .. .. .	862	965	1,077	1,146
Direct taxes, fees, fines, etc. .. .	222	253	265	282
Interest, etc., received .. .	75	83	102	130
Public enterprises income .. .	433	471	518	491
Grants from Commonwealth Authorities .. .	1,057	1,155	1,309	1,652
<b>Total Receipts .. .</b>	<b>2,650</b>	<b>2,927</b>	<b>3,271</b>	<b>3,701</b>
Net current expenditure on goods and services—				
Law, order and public safety .. .	161	179	201	230
Education .. .	625	706	838	1,010
Health and welfare .. .	330	371	424	516
Development of resources and assistance to industry .. .	96	105	116	133
All other .. .	269	288	316	364
<b>Total .. .</b>	<b>1,481</b>	<b>1,650</b>	<b>1,895</b>	<b>2,252</b>
Subsidies .. .	15	16	21	18
Interest, etc., paid .. .	598	651	713	770
Overseas grants .. .				
Cash benefits to persons .. .	29	37	41	46
Grants for private capital purposes .. .	19	15	18	21
Surplus on current account .. .	507	560	583	594
<b>Total Outlay .. .</b>	<b>2,650</b>	<b>2,927</b>	<b>3,271</b>	<b>3,701</b>

**STATE AND LOCAL AUTHORITIES: GROSS FIXED CAPITAL EXPENDITURE ON NEW ASSETS**  
(\$ million)

	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
Public enterprises .. .	863	949	991	1,013
Public authorities .. .	901	986	1,083	1,185
<b>Total .. .</b>	<b>1,764</b>	<b>1,936</b>	<b>2,074</b>	<b>2,198</b>

## NET LOAN EXPENDITURE ON WORKS, SERVICES, ETC.

(\$ million)

Period	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Total Six States	Cwth	Grand total
Year—									
1968-69 ..	184.2	146.8	80.7	71.2	54.8	40.1	577.9	140.6	718.4
1969-70 ..	188.6	157.9	87.3	82.3	59.3	45.0	620.3	143.5	763.8
1970-71 ..	191.4	153.7	86.5	86.0	63.5	47.2	628.3	188.6	816.9

(a) See also Tables on page 119.

## TAXES, FEES, FINES, ETC.: ALL PUBLIC AUTHORITIES (a)

(\$ million)

1966-67 to 1970-71

Year	Commonwealth							States & Local	Total
	Income taxes	Customs duties	Excise duties	Sales tax	Pay-roll tax	Other	Total		
1966-67 ..	2,725.2	274.9	806.4	380.7	172.2	133.0	4,492.4	967.2	5,459.6
1967-68 ..	3,030.9	312.2	855.2	416.6	184.4	154.3	4,953.7	1,084.1	6,037.8
1968-69 ..	3,410.9	346.3	902.3	494.1	205.6	170.6	5,529.7	1,217.5	6,747.2
1969-70 ..	4,046.0	413.6	939.3	568.7	230.5	183.8	6,381.8	1,341.2	7,723.0
1970-71 ..	4,606.5	466.0	1,053.5	632.5	247.7	177.8	7,184.0	1,428.3	8,612.3

(a) Figures in this table are consistent with those published in *National Income and Expenditure, 1970-71*.

## TAXES, FEES, FINES, ETC.: STATE AND LOCAL AUTHORITIES (a)

(\$ million)

1969-70

State etc.	Probate and succession duties	Land tax	Local authority rates	Motor taxes	Taxes on gambling	Liquor taxes	Stamp duties (n.e.i.)	Other	Total
New South Wales	55.4	32.5	155.0	81.6	69.9	16.4	105.0	29.4	545.4
Victoria ..	44.4	22.4	102.3	72.1	25.9	11.4	80.4	35.6	394.6
Queensland ..	15.9	5.0	53.1	39.7	11.7	5.7	24.8	16.3	172.2
South Australia	8.9	7.6	27.8	20.7	4.4	3.1	18.2	4.6	95.3
Western Australia	9.4	6.7	21.3	22.2	6.3	3.3	23.9	7.7	100.8
Tasmania ..	3.3	2.6	11.8	6.7	1.4	1.1	5.2	1.2	33.4
Total States	137.3	77.0	371.2	243.0	119.7	41.0	257.6	94.7	1,341.6

(a) Figures in this table are consistent with those published in *Commonwealth, State and Territory Taxation Collection, 1969-70* and may differ from those in the preceding table on account of revisions.

## GOVERNMENT SECURITIES ON ISSUE: COMMONWEALTH AND STATES

In the following tables, details of securities on issue and annual interest liability in respect of overseas loans are shown in the currencies in which they are repayable or payable respectively. The total of all such loans including loans repayable in Australia and the total annual interest liability thereon are shown in Australian currency equivalents at the rates of exchange ruling at 30 June in the years 1968 to 1970. For 30 June 1971 Reserve Bank official selling rates have been used for Canadian dollars, Netherlands guilders and Deutsche marks.

Currency in which repayable or payable				30 June—			
				1968	1969	1970	1971
TOTAL GOVERNMENT SECURITIES ON ISSUE							
Commonwealth	Australian dollars	..	SA m	2,675.0	2,591.0	2,818.6	2,715.5
	Sterling	..	£Stg m	80.4	80.3	69.9	69.2
	United States dollars	..	\$US m	705.1	748.1	687.2	691.9
	Canadian dollars	..	\$Can m	39.9	29.7	24.8	12.3
	Swiss francs	..	Sw. Fr. m	239.7	239.7	249.6	249.6
	Netherlands guilders	..	f. m	6.7	6.2	5.7	65.2
	Deutsche marks	..	D.M. m	178.2	791.7	938.7	931.2
	Total	..	SA m	3,600.3	3,682.1	3,884.9	3,800.9
States	Australian dollars	..	SA m	7,683.5	8,224.0	8,806.1	9,230.6
	Sterling	..	£Stg m	206.6	200.3	164.7	149.7
	United States dollars	..	\$US m	181.1	167.3	149.8	126.2
	Canadian dollars	..	\$Can m	13.0	12.8	12.2	11.6
	Swiss francs	..	Sw. Fr. m	50.3	50.3	50.3	50.3
	Netherlands guilders	..	f. m	30.7	28.5	26.3	24.1
	Deutsche marks	..	D.M. m	..	..	..	..
	Total	..	SA m	8,316.5	8,830.5	9,320.1	9,691.1
Grand total	Australian dollars	..	SA m	10,358.5	10,815.0	11,624.7	11,946.1
	Sterling	..	£Stg m	287.1	280.4	234.6	218.9
	United States dollars	..	\$US m	886.2	915.4	837.0	818.1
	Canadian dollars	..	\$Can m	52.9	42.5	36.9	23.8
	Swiss francs	..	Sw. Fr. m	290.0	290.0	299.9	299.9
	Netherlands guilders	..	f. m	37.3	34.7	32.0	89.3
	Deutsche marks	..	D.M. m	178.2	791.7	938.7	931.2
	Total	..	SA m	11,916.8	12,512.6	13,205.0	13,492.0
ANNUAL INTEREST PAYABLE							
Grand total	Australian dollars	..	SA m	496.1	496.4	550.8	595.6
	Sterling	..	£Stg m	13.2	13.0	11.4	10.7
	United States dollars	..	\$US m	46.4	47.8	43.8	44.8
	Canadian dollars	..	\$Can m	2.6	2.1	1.9	1.3
	Swiss francs	..	Sw. Fr. m	12.8	13.7	15.8	15.8
	Netherlands guilders	..	f. m	1.9	1.7	1.6	6.1
	Deutsche marks	..	D.M. m	11.0	50.4	61.1	60.6
	Commonwealth	..	SA m	144.3	150.3	160.6	162.0
	States	..	SA m	402.2	432.8	473.9	518.3
Total	..	..	SA m	546.5	583.1	634.5	680.2
	..	..	SA m	..	..	..	..
AVERAGE RATES OF INTEREST PAYABLE (Per cent)							
Grand total	Australian dollars	..	..	4.53	4.59	4.74	4.99
	Sterling	..	..	4.60	4.62	4.86	4.90
	United States dollars	..	..	5.23	5.23	5.23	5.48
	Canadian dollars	..	..	4.96	5.03	5.04	5.46
	Swiss francs	..	..	4.41	4.72	5.27	5.28
	Netherlands guilders	..	..	5.00	5.00	5.00	6.85
	Deutsche marks	..	..	6.17	6.37	6.51	6.51
	Total	..	..	4.59	4.66	4.80	5.04
	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

**GOVERNMENT SECURITIES ON ISSUE ON ACCOUNT OF THE STATES,  
AND INTEREST LIABILITY, 30 JUNE 1971**

State	Currency in which repayable						Australian currency equivalent(a)	
	Australian dollars	Sterling	United States dollars	Canadian dollars	Swiss francs	Netherlands guilders	Total amount on issue	Total interest liability
	\$A m	£Stg m	\$US m	\$Can m	Sw Fr m	f m	\$A m	\$A m
New South Wales	2,972.0	79.4	47.3	3.6	15.8	7.6	3,192.9	170.8
Victoria ..	2,274.7	19.8	26.6	2.9	12.7	6.1	2,347.8	127.1
Queensland ..	1,244.2	11.2	20.1	1.5	6.4	3.1	1,289.5	67.6
South Australia ..	1,209.3	14.4	14.7	1.6	6.8	3.1	1,256.9	67.3
Western Australia	875.8	21.8	8.3	1.1	4.9	2.4	932.6	49.3
Tasmania ..	654.5	3.1	9.2	0.9	3.7	1.8	671.3	36.2
Total ..	9,230.6	149.7	126.2	11.6	50.3	24.1	9,691.1	518.3

(a) Converted at rates of exchange ruling at 30 June 1971. Reserve Bank official selling rates have been used for Canadian dollars, Netherlands guilders and Deutsche marks.

# SECTION XIII. SOCIAL STATISTICS

## COMMONWEALTH EXPENDITURE FROM NATIONAL WELFARE FUND(a)

(\$'000)

Service	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
<b>Social services—</b>					
Age and invalid pensions .. ..	481,840	513,984	558,587	641,982	702,276
Widows' pensions .. ..	56,438	61,061	69,080	81,753	90,514
Funeral benefits .. ..	1,334	1,338	1,571	1,512	1,653
Maternity allowances .. ..	7,294	7,349	7,960	8,000	8,554
Child endowment .. ..	199,282	187,920	193,263	220,143	198,467
Unemployment, sickness and special benefits .. ..	19,044	18,832	16,830	18,592	23,478
Commonwealth rehabilitation service .. ..	1,844	1,944	2,260	2,758	590
Sheltered employment allowance(b) .. ..	..	104	288	436	3,646
State grants (deserted wives)(c) .. ..	..	201	1,149	1,882	3,691
Personal care subsidy(d) .. ..	..	..	..	1,133	1,592
Delivered meals subsidy(e) .. ..	..	..	..	196	341
<b>Total, social services .. ..</b>	<b>767,076</b>	<b>792,734</b>	<b>(f) 851,356</b>	<b>978,385</b>	<b>1,034,801</b>
<b>Health services—</b>					
Hospital and nursing home benefits .. ..	67,398	74,750	85,942	111,375	122,839
Medical benefits .. ..	43,841	46,431	49,556	56,863	95,604
Medical benefits for pensioners .. ..	14,351	16,116	16,912	19,230	19,904
Pharmaceutical benefits .. ..	72,001	73,019	81,764	95,650	115,094
Pharmaceutical benefits for pensioners .. ..	29,280	32,115	36,609	41,069	45,181
Tuberculosis campaign and allowances .. ..	12,176	12,360	12,381	11,326	11,256
Handicapped children's benefits(g) .. ..	..	..	76	485	456
Milk for school children .. ..	9,021	9,831	10,053	10,051	10,160
Miscellaneous health services .. ..	3,947	4,349	4,624	4,955	6,612
<b>Total, health services .. ..</b>	<b>252,014</b>	<b>268,972</b>	<b>297,918</b>	<b>351,004</b>	<b>427,106</b>
<b>Rental losses(h) .. ..</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>131</b>
<b>Home savings grants .. ..</b>	<b>11,885</b>	<b>13,299</b>	<b>13,015</b>	<b>12,336</b>	<b>15,200</b>
<b>Grand total .. ..</b>	<b>1,031,117</b>	<b>1,075,049</b>	<b>1,162,350</b>	<b>1,341,800</b>	<b>1,477,238</b>

(a) The National Welfare Fund does not cover administration and capital expenditure on social and health services, or cash payments made to individuals for education, repatriation and certain other miscellaneous social services.  
 (b) Commenced 6 July 1967. (c) Commenced 1 January 1968. (d) Commenced 14 October 1969—payable in respect of persons aged 80 years or more who reside in hostel-type accommodation eligible under the *Aged Persons Homes Act* 1954-1969. (e) Commenced 1 January 1970. (f) Includes \$368,000 unallocated expenditure on social services. (g) Commenced 1 January 1969. (h) Contributions to States, under Commonwealth and State Housing Agreement 1945, for losses of rental housing.

## COMMONWEALTH AGE AND INVALID PENSIONS

State and year	Number of pensioners at 30 June			Average weekly pension at 30 June		Amount paid during year ended 30 June (b)
	Age	Invalid	Total	Age(a)	Invalid(a)	
1971—						\$'000
New South Wales .. ..	300,154	56,396	356,550	14.51	16.56	269,960
Victoria .. ..	213,852	31,342	245,194	14.19	16.43	179,578
Queensland .. ..	128,817	21,772	150,589	14.39	16.57	112,669
South Australia .. ..	77,762	11,174	88,936	14.17	16.37	64,714
Western Australia .. ..	58,224	8,155	66,379	14.29	16.57	48,979
Tasmania .. ..	24,894	4,316	29,210	14.32	16.88	21,835
Northern Territory .. ..	1,577	560	2,137	16.21	18.49	1,888
Australian Capital Territory	2,431	360	2,791	14.06	16.62	1,999
Abroad .. ..	(c)	(c)	(c)	..	..	654
Total .. ..	807,711	134,075	941,786	14.36	16.53	702,276
Total—						
1970 .. ..	779,007	133,766	912,773	13.61	15.70	641,982
1969 .. ..	705,311	121,744	827,055	13.00	14.71	558,587
1968 .. ..	682,265	114,745	797,010	12.22	13.37	513,984
1967 .. ..	651,363	112,314	763,677	12.38	13.30	481,840
1966 .. ..	636,984	106,645	743,629	11.33	12.24	442,355

(a) Includes supplementary assistance, guardian's allowance and additional pension for children, where applicable.  
 (b) Includes: Supplementary assistance; amounts paid to benevolent homes for maintenance of pensioners and to pensioner inmates of these homes; allowances to wives of age and invalid pensioners; and allowances and additional pension for dependent children of age and invalid pensioners. (c) Included in figures for State in which pensioner is ordinarily domiciled.

NOTE: Age pensions are payable to women 60 years of age and over and to men 65 years of age and over; invalid pensions are payable to persons who are permanently incapacitated for work or who are permanently blind. Since 8 April 1971 the maximum rate is \$16.00 a week for a single pensioner and a married pensioner whose spouse is not receiving a pension, tuberculosis allowance, unemployment or sickness benefit. The maximum rate for married couple pensioners is \$14.25 each. An allowance is also payable for the non-pensioner wife and dependent children of an age or invalid pensioner, and a guardian's allowance is payable to a single pensioner with dependent children. Age and invalid pensions (except those paid to blind persons) are subject to a means test on income and property. Supplementary assistance of \$2 (maximum) a week is available to pensioners who pay rent or pay for board and lodging or for lodging.

## COMMONWEALTH CHILD ENDOWMENT

State and year ended 30 June	Children under 16 years				Student children(a)				Total endowed children and students	Amount paid during year ended 30 June (b)
	Endowed families		Approved institutions		Endowed families		Approved institutions			
	No. of claims	No. of children	No. of institutions	No. of children	No. of claims	No. of children	No. of institutions	No. of children		
										\$'000
1971—										
N.S.W.	636,912	1,355,930	131	5,840	73,126	80,144	32	74	1,442,008	67,961
Vic.	500,385	1,090,447	126	5,419	66,874	74,497	31	137	1,170,520	53,924
Qld	251,805	570,859	41	1,790	15,946	17,723	13	70	590,442	29,199
S.A.	168,289	361,652	63	1,294	20,118	21,869	17	145	384,960	18,284
W.A.	147,507	329,671	73	4,177	12,316	13,449	23	288	347,585	16,423
Tas.	57,100	129,322	23	429	5,005	5,514	6	11	135,276	6,686
N.T.	13,034	31,103	11	252	552	614	2	2	11,971	1,485
A.C.T.	22,343	49,123	1	27	3,043	3,469	..	..	52,619	2,451
Abroad	283	527	..	..	19	22	..	..	549	54
Total ..	1,797,628	3,918,654	469	19,248	196,999	217,301	124	727	4,155,930	198,467
Total—										
1970	1,749,714	3,844,590	456	20,069	194,576	214,146	106	573	4,079,378	(c) 220,143
1969	1,701,914	3,764,421	493	25,699	187,500	205,208	101	714	3,996,042	193,263
1968	1,669,629	3,689,819	491	27,239	158,488	173,076	106	699	3,890,853	187,920
1967	1,640,910	3,642,794	497	26,562	151,623	161,814	97	547	3,834,917	(c) 199,282
1966	1,610,490	3,593,933	488	25,287	132,900	143,077	88	349	3,762,646	176,432

(a) The Commonwealth commenced to pay endowment for student children, aged 16 to 21 years, from 14 January 1964. (b) Includes expenditure for endowed student children as follows: 1966-67, \$12,492,000; 1967-68, \$14,112,000; 1968-69, \$15,752,000; 1969-70, \$16,582,000; 1970-71, \$17,031,000. (c) Expenditure for this year includes five 12-weekly payments instead of the usual four 12-weekly payments for endowments paid to the credit of bank accounts.

NOTE. From January 1964 the weekly rates are: \$0.50 for the first child in a family, \$1.00 for the second child, \$1.50 for the third and subsequent children under 16 years in families, \$1.50 for each child under 16 years in an institution, and \$1.50 for full time student children between 16 and 21 years. From 19 September 1967, cumulative increases of 25c became payable for the fourth and subsequent children under 16 years in a family, making \$1.75 for the fourth child, \$2.00 for the fifth, \$2.25 for the sixth, and so on.

## COMMONWEALTH WIDOWS' PENSIONS

State and year	Pensions current at 30 June			Average weekly pension at 30 June(c)	Amount paid during year ended 30 June(c)
	Class 'A' pensioners(a)	Other widows (b)	All widows		
1971—				\$	\$'000
New South Wales ..	17,154	15,719	32,873	19.67	32,945
Victoria ..	12,847	11,662	24,509	19.63	24,366
Queensland ..	7,090	6,449	13,539	20.02	13,698
South Australia ..	4,623	4,417	9,040	19.61	8,969
Western Australia ..	3,050	3,342	6,392	19.03	6,172
Tasmania ..	1,842	1,296	3,138	20.87	3,327
Tasmania ..	241	154	395	22.82	437
Northern Territory ..	299	214	513	19.55	496
Australian Capital Territory ..	(d)	(d)	..	..	104
Abroad ..					
Total ..	47,146	43,253	90,399	19.72	90,514
Total—					
1970	44,064	42,857	86,921	18.96	81,753
1969	38,038	39,859	77,897	17.63	69,080
1968	35,899	39,170	75,069	15.79	61,011
1967	34,525	38,365	72,890	15.81	56,438
1966	31,796	36,810	68,606	14.53	50,017

(a) A widow who has at least one dependent child. (b) A widow who is not less than 50 years of age and is without dependent children, a widow without dependent children who is in need for not more than 26 weeks after the death of her husband, or until the birth of her child if she is pregnant. (c) Includes supplementary assistance and for Class 'A' widows a mother's allowance. (d) Included in the figures for the State in which the pensioner is ordinarily domiciled.

NOTE. Widows' pensions are subject to a means test on income and property. Since 13 April 1971 the maximum rates are: Class 'A', \$16.00 a week with mother's allowance of \$4 (\$6 if caring for a child under 6 years or an invalid child requiring full-time care), \$2.50 for the first child under 16 years and \$3.50 for each subsequent child under 16 years. \$2.50 is also paid for each full-time student child 16 to 21 years of age. Other widows receive \$14.25 a week. A supplementary assistance of \$2.00 (maximum) per week is available to pensioners who pay rent or pay for board and lodging or for lodging.

## COMMONWEALTH MATERNITY ALLOWANCES

Year	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Abroad	Total
NUMBER OF CLAIMS PAID										
1966-67	79,078	66,098	33,489	20,596	17,510	7,606	1,955	2,211	242	228,785
1967-68	77,415	66,083	34,465	21,107	18,969	7,939	1,985	2,717	96	230,776
1968-69	87,556	72,304	35,790	21,684	20,381	8,373	2,178	2,915	106	251,287
1969-70	86,526	72,259	36,882	22,031	20,294	8,130	2,468	3,245	69	251,904
1970-71	94,618	75,824	38,458	22,676	23,417	8,594	2,668	3,725	72	270,052

AMOUNT PAID (\$'000)										
1966-67	2,514	2,104	1,077	654	559	243	62	72	8	7,294
1967-68	2,462	2,102	1,103	670	605	254	64	87	3	7,349
1968-69	2,761	2,281	1,144	688	648	267	77	91	3	7,960
1969-70	2,741	2,297	1,177	698	645	259	79	102	2	8,000
1970-71	2,981	2,407	1,226	718	743	274	85	118	2	8,554

NOTE. Allowances are as follows: (i) no other children under 16 years, \$30.00; (ii) one or two other children under 16 years, \$32.00; (iii) three or more other children under 16 years, \$35.00. Where more than one child is born at a birth the allowance is increased by \$10.00 in respect of each additional child born at that birth. The allowance is not subject to a means test.

UNEMPLOYMENT, SICKNESS AND SPECIAL BENEFITS PAID  
(For particulars of weekly average number of persons on benefit see page 20)  
(\$'000)

Period	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
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## UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT

Year—										
1966-67	..	..	3,948	1,882	3,068	1,653	374	228	14	11,186
1967-68	..	..	3,665	2,425	2,913	1,637	304	264	19	11,242
1968-69	..	..	2,627	2,246	2,474	1,286	309	297	19	9,268
1969-70	..	..	2,451	1,795	2,814	1,008	407	360	21	8,868
1970-71	..	..	2,945	2,345	2,883	1,378	828	366	29	10,795
Quarter ended—										
December 1969	..	..	549	442	539	214	75	102	2	1,926
March 1970	..	..	744	494	1,205	313	150	99	11	3,020
June 1970	..	..	576	414	682	277	119	62	6	2,137
September 1970	..	..	707	563	394	320	196	103	5	2,290
December 1970	..	..	588	445	549	265	142	92	3	2,087
March 1971	..	..	825	610	1,108	379	246	91	12	3,277
June 1971	..	..	825	727	832	414	244	80	10	3,141

**Unemployment, Sickness and Special Benefits Paid—continued**  
(**\$'000**)

Period	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
<b>SICKNESS BENEFIT</b>									
<b>Year—</b>									
1966-67 .. ..	2,655	1,753	964	554	445	190	20	30	6,611
1967-68 .. ..	2,502	1,646	941	563	420	165	22	30	6,290
1968-69 .. ..	2,187	1,473	801	461	389	166	24	30	5,531
1969-70 .. ..	2,773	1,956	1,064	576	508	199	34	37	7,146
1970-71 .. ..	3,950	2,877	1,445	840	719	327	47	58	10,262
<b>Quarter ended—</b>									
December 1969 .. ..	682	532	272	148	127	52	8	8	1,829
March 1970 .. ..	737	509	292	149	133	47	9	9	1,884
June 1970 .. ..	780	545	295	163	140	61	11	12	2,005
September 1970 .. ..	781	594	309	176	146	75	9	13	2,104
December 1970 .. ..	965	708	356	209	176	80	10	13	2,518
March 1971 .. ..	1,052	728	377	228	185	80	13	15	2,678
June 1971 .. ..	1,152	847	402	226	212	92	16	15	2,963
<b>SPECIAL (ORDINARY) BENEFIT(a)</b>									
<b>Year—</b>									
1966-67 .. ..	305	521	159	56	36	47	1	1	1,125
1967-68 .. ..	305	589	149	50	33	42	1	2	1,171
1968-69(b) .. ..	504	779	248	103	97	55	4	3	1,793
1969-70 .. ..	660	1,017	303	134	123	68	10	7	2,323
1970-71 .. ..	843	571	343	142	151	71	13	11	2,145
<b>Quarter ended—</b>									
December 1969 .. ..	162	296	70	33	31	17	3	2	612
March 1970 .. ..	177	307	80	36	30	16	3	2	651
June 1970 .. ..	176	219	89	38	35	19	3	2	581
September 1970 .. ..	192	163	83	36	33	20	3	2	533
December 1970 .. ..	212	142	85	35	40	16	3	2	536
March 1971 .. ..	218	138	88	36	41	18	3	3	545
June 1971 .. ..	222	127	88	34	37	17	3	4	532

(a) In addition, special benefit payments to migrants in Commonwealth centres or hostels, awaiting their first placement in employment in Australia were: 1966-67, \$122,000; 1967-68, \$128,000; 1968-69, \$237,000; 1969-70, \$235,000; 1970-71, \$275,000; quarter ended June 1971, \$49,000. (b) From June 1968, special benefits became payable to confinement cases in lieu of sickness or unemployment benefits.

NOTE. The rates of benefit per week from 29 September 1969 are \$10 for a married person or an unmarried adult, plus \$7 for dependent spouse, \$2.50 for the first child under 16 years of age and \$3.50 for each subsequent child under 16 years; for unmarried juveniles \$4.50 if under 18 years and \$6 if 18 and under 21 years. In certain cases \$7 per week might be paid in respect of claimant's housekeeper. Since 8 April 1971, higher rates of sickness benefits (long term) became payable after six weeks as follows: \$16.00 for adults, married minors and minors without a parent in Australia and \$10.50 for other minors. Permissible weekly income from other sources is \$6 for adults and married persons and \$3 for unmarried persons under 21. For unemployment benefit, permissible income means income of claimant and spouse; for sickness benefit, permissible income means income of claimant only. There is a waiting period of seven days for which no payment is made. A special ordinary benefit (see above) may be granted to a person not qualified for an unemployment or sickness benefit if, because of age, physical or mental disability or domestic circumstances, or for any other reason, he is unable to earn a sufficient livelihood for himself and his dependants.

## AUSTRALIAN WAR AND SERVICE PENSIONS

## War pensions

Place of payment and year	Number of war pensions current at 30 June(a)					Expenditure during year ended 30 June(d)
	Incapacitated ex-service-men(b)	Dependants of incapacitated ex-service-men(b)	Dependants of deceased ex-service-men(b)	Miscellaneous(c)	Total	
1971—						\$'000
New South Wales(e)	78,334	101,813	21,919	279	202,345	69,171
Victoria	58,187	78,018	16,908	156	153,269	52,636
Queensland	33,874	46,923	8,122	90	89,009	30,863
South Australia(f)	20,125	27,075	5,193	52	52,445	15,754
Western Australia	18,181	24,037	4,264	32	46,514	13,140
Tasmania	8,646	12,493	2,106	9	23,254	8,230
Abroad	1,008	1,469	844	3	3,324	1,596
Total	218,355	291,828	59,356	621	570,160	191,390
Total—						
1970	219,841	305,403	59,432	631	585,307	183,454
1969	221,343	319,899	59,071	666	600,979	182,850
1968	222,479	334,823	58,674	670	616,646	164,449
1967	222,912	350,365	57,897	685	631,859	161,716
1966	223,377	365,583	57,195	675	646,830	170,490

(a) Particulars of ex-servicewomen are included where relevant. (b) Includes war pensions payable under *Interim Forces Benefits Act 1947-1966*, *Native Members of the Forces Benefits Act 1957-1966*. (c) Pensions payable under the *Seamen's War Pensions and Allowances Act 1940-1966* and various Cabinet decisions. (d) Includes widows' allowances. (e) Includes Australian Capital Territory. (f) Includes Northern Territory.

NOTE. The main types of war pensions and the weekly rates payable since 1 April 1971 are: *Special (T.P.L.) rate*, \$39; *Intermediate rate*, \$28.50; *General rate*, 100 per cent basic rate, \$12 (a special compensation allowance of from \$4.50 to \$6 is also payable to general rate pensioners with 75 to 100 per cent assessed incapacity); *War widows rate*, \$15.50, (eligible war widow pensioners may also receive a domestic allowance of \$8 a week). War pensions are not subject to a means test.

## Service pensions

Place of payment and year	Number of service pensions current at 30 June(a)					Expenditure during year ended 30 June
	Ex-servicemen(b)	Dependants of—		Act of Grace pensions	Total	
		Living service pensioners(b)	Deceased service pensioners(b)			
1971—						\$'000
New South Wales(c)	18,696	4,302	1,124	6	24,128	13,963
Victoria	14,533	3,650	648	16	18,847	10,696
Queensland	10,423	3,893	584	8	14,908	8,042
South Australia(d)	5,949	1,540	465	7	7,961	4,651
Western Australia	6,314	972	477	4	7,767	4,769
Tasmania	2,074	1,003	118	2	3,197	1,604
Abroad						7
Total	57,989	15,360	3,416	43	76,808	43,732
Total—						
1970	56,308	14,761	3,320	31	74,420	39,912
1969	51,261	12,697	3,188	22	67,168	34,108
1968	51,177	14,240	3,088	22	68,527	31,771
1967	50,399	13,691	2,882	21	66,993	29,126
1966	49,869	13,261	2,754	10	65,894	28,172

(a) Particulars of ex-servicewomen are included where relevant. (b) Includes service pensions payable under the *Native Members of the Forces Act 1957-1966*. (c) Includes Australian Capital Territory. (d) Includes Northern Territory.

NOTE. The rates, allowances and means test conditions for service pensions are the same as those for age and invalid pensions paid by the Department of Social Services (see footnote to table on page 130) plus an additional 25 cents each for the second, third and fourth dependent children.

## GOVERNMENT AND NON-GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS: ENROLMENTS

State or Territory and year	Schools	Census enrolment(a)	
		Boys	Girls

  

GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS			
1970—			
New South Wales .. .. .	2,415	396,867	363,225
Victoria .. .. .	2,215	308,199	277,241
Queensland .. .. .	1,236	154,326	141,217
South Australia .. .. .	651	119,505	109,283
Western Australia .. .. .	589	91,698	82,326
Tasmania .. .. .	238	40,321	37,126
Northern Territory .. .. .	79	7,080	6,710
Australian Capital Territory .. .. .	47	12,929	12,124
Australia .. .. .	7,470	1,130,925	1,029,252
Australia—			
1969 .. .. .	r7,549	r1,107,089	r1,006,886
1968 .. .. .	r7,636	r1,077,012	r977,796
1967 .. .. .	r7,698	r1,044,464	r946,476
1966 .. .. .	r7,770	r1,006,742	r912,074

  

NON-GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS			
1970—			
New South Wales .. .. .	790	111,716	109,817
Victoria .. .. .	581	93,451	97,577
Queensland .. .. .	342	45,176	44,680
South Australia .. .. .	170	18,546	18,841
Western Australia .. .. .	196	19,959	21,985
Tasmania .. .. .	65	6,918	7,481
Northern Territory .. .. .	14	1,356	1,372
Australian Capital Territory .. .. .	22	4,813	4,368
Australia .. .. .	2,180	301,935	306,121
Australia—			
1969 .. .. .	r2,174	r299,095	r303,891
1968 .. .. .	r2,183	r297,433	r303,470
1967 .. .. .	r2,186	r294,045	r300,636
1966 .. .. .	r2,193	r287,647	r295,335

  

TOTAL—ALL SCHOOLS			
1970—			
New South Wales .. .. .	3,205	508,583	473,042
Victoria .. .. .	2,796	401,650	374,818
Queensland .. .. .	1,578	199,502	185,897
South Australia .. .. .	821	138,051	128,124
Western Australia .. .. .	785	111,657	104,311
Tasmania .. .. .	303	47,239	44,607
Northern Territory .. .. .	93	8,436	8,082
Australian Capital Territory .. .. .	69	17,742	16,492
Australia .. .. .	9,650	1,432,860	1,335,373
Australia—			
1969 .. .. .	r9,723	r1,406,184	r1,310,777
1968 .. .. .	r9,819	r1,374,445	r1,281,266
1967 .. .. .	r9,884	r1,338,509	r1,247,112
1966 .. .. .	r9,963	r1,294,389	r1,207,409

(a) In first week of August.

## GOVERNMENT AND NON-GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS: TEACHERS 1970(a)

State or Territory	Number of full-time teachers			Part-time teaching					
				Number of teachers			Equivalent full-time unit(b)		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS									
New South Wales(c)	14,086	19,382	33,468	107	2,178	2,285	31	1,096	1,127
Victoria(d)	11,930	13,764	25,694	1,498	1,728	(e) 3,226	708	933	1,641
Queensland(f)	5,646	6,604	12,250	1	..	1	..	..	..
South Australia	3,942	5,376	9,318	60	554	614	37	245	282
Western Australia	3,188	3,599	6,787	31	314	345	17	145	162
Tasmania	1,280	2,241	3,521	35	245	280	12	76	88
Northern Territory	293	378	671	2	13	15	1	8	9
Australian Capital Territory	347	669	1,016	25	60	85	15	36	51
Australia	40,712	52,013	92,725	1,759	5,092	6,851	821	2,539	3,360

NON-GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS									
New South Wales(c)	2,365	5,770	8,135	419	1,734	(g) 2,153	97	546	643
Victoria(d)	1,920	4,990	6,910	403	1,403	1,806	103	420	523
Queensland	961	2,206	3,167	107	613	720	25	157	182
South Australia	477	941	1,418	88	441	529	25	161	186
Western Australia	492	1,028	1,520	73	366	439	20	109	129
Tasmania	189	404	593	46	158	204	15	58	73
Northern Territory(h)	28	69	97	..	5	5	..	1	1
Australian Capital Territory	107	240	347	19	88	(g) 107	5	27	32
Australia	6,539	15,648	22,187	1,155	4,808	5,963	290	1,479	1,769

TOTAL—ALL SCHOOLS									
New South Wales(c)	16,451	25,152	41,603	526	3,912	4,438	128	1,642	1,770
Victoria(d)	13,850	18,754	32,604	1,901	3,131	5,032	811	1,353	2,164
Queensland(f)	6,607	8,810	15,417	108	613	721	25	157	182
South Australia	4,419	6,317	10,736	148	995	1,143	62	406	468
Western Australia	3,680	4,627	8,307	104	680	784	37	254	291
Tasmania	1,469	2,645	4,114	81	403	484	27	134	161
Northern Territory	321	447	768	2	18	20	1	9	10
Australian Capital Territory	454	909	1,363	44	148	192	20	63	83
Australia	47,251	67,661	114,912	2,914	9,900	12,814	1,111	4,018	5,129

(a) Teachers-in-training are generally excluded. (b) The methods used for calculating equivalent full-time units of part-time teaching vary from State to State, between government and non-government schools and between primary and secondary schools within States. For most schools the information is based on either the total hours worked or total number of class periods taken in a week by part-time teachers in relation to the normal hours worked by full-time teachers. (c) New South Wales includes all teachers on leave. (d) Victoria excludes all teachers on leave for whom temporary replacements have been made. (e) If a full-time teacher teaches both senior and junior technical school pupils, he is counted as part-time in these statistics which include junior technical but not senior technical schools, if his teaching load in the junior school is less than 75 per cent. (f) Counting of teachers at Queensland government schools was changed from 1969 onwards. Teaching of evening classes part-time by teachers engaged full-time during the day, and teaching by sewing mistresses, shown in previous years, is not included. Other part-time teachers are not employed. (g) Visiting teachers who attend more than one school are counted as part-time in each school visited. (h) Unqualified teachers and teaching assistants at mission schools are excluded.

**COLLEGES OF ADVANCED EDUCATION: INSTITUTIONS AND TEACHING STAFF**  
**By Type of Institution, States and A.C.T., 1970**

Type of institution	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	A.C.T.	Aust.
<b>INSTITUTIONS</b>								
Institutes of technology, schools of mines, technical colleges, etc. ..	r 3	12	3	1	2	3	1	r 25
Agricultural colleges .. ..	2	4	1	1	1	..	..	9
Conservatoria of music and art schools .. ..	r 3	..	1	1	..	2	..	r 7
Para-medical colleges .. ..	4	5	..	1	1	1	..	12
<b>Total .. ..</b>	<b>r 12</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>r 53</b>

**TEACHING AND DIRECTLY SUPPORTING STAFF(a)**

			(b)					
Institutes of technology, schools of mines, technical colleges, etc. ..	296	1,404	n.a.	272	373	73	59	n.a.
Agricultural colleges .. ..	34	68	n.a.	16	23	..	..	n.a.
Conservatoria of music and art schools .. ..	58	..	n.a.	28	..	23	..	n.a.
Para-medical colleges .. ..	r 39	110	n.a.	18	11	5	..	n.a.
<b>Total .. ..</b>	<b>428</b>	<b>1,581</b>	<b>n.a.</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>406</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>n.a.</b>
<b>All institutions—</b>								
Teaching staff .. ..	345	1,359	n.a.	254	299	89	55	n.a.
Directly supporting staff ..	83	223	n.a.	79	108	12	4	n.a.
<b>Total—1970 .. ..</b>	<b>428</b>	<b>1,581</b>	<b>n.a.</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>406</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>n.a.</b>
<b>1969 .. ..</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>n.a.</b>	<b>306</b>	<b>343</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>n.a.</b>

(a) Includes the advanced level course component of full-time and part-time staff, expressed in equivalent full-time units. Any discrepancies between totals and sums of components are due to rounding. (b) Figures comparable with other States are not available for Queensland. In 1970 and 1969 respectively, total staff teaching at colleges of advanced education were 307 and 223 full-time, and 444 and 604 part-time which includes staff who were teaching students enrolled for other than advanced level courses.

**COLLEGES OF ADVANCED EDUCATION: ENROLMENTS IN ADVANCED LEVEL COURSES(a)**  
**By Field of Study and Type, States and A.C.T., 1970**

Field of study	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	A.C.T.	Australia		
								Males	Females	Persons
FULL-TIME STUDENTS										
Agriculture .. ..	r189	r364	r211	89	46	..	5	r858	r46	r904
Applied sciences .. ..	r26	r1,069	r333	111	205	..	49	r1,535	r239	r1,794
Art and design .. ..	232	1,085	..	336	138	100	..	864	1,027	1,891
Building, surveying, architecture, etc. .. ..	37	443	..	141	248	9	..	800	78	878
Business studies .. ..	145	1,842	189	152	319	22	117	2,252	534	2,786
Engineering and technology ..	24	2,525	449	358	419	8	..	4,161	22	4,183
Liberal studies .. ..	7	233	..	91	154	..	57	195	347	542
Music .. ..	311	..	57	..	..	38	..	100	306	406
Para-medical .. ..	476	923	145	193	295	60	..	562	1,530	2,092
Teacher education .. ..	434	..	..	..	..	..	..	131	303	434
Total enrolments—1970 ..	1,881	8,884	1,384	1,471	1,824	238	228	11,458	4,452	15,910
1969 .. ..	1,022	7,474	1,060	1,300	1,672	218	..	9,286	3,460	12,746

(a) Courses approved by the Minister for Education and Science under the States Grants (Advanced Education) Act. Includes courses provided by the Canberra College of Advanced Education.

**Colleges of advanced education: Enrolments in advanced level courses(a)**  
**By field of study and type, States and A.C.T., 1970—continued**

Field of study	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	A.C.T.	Australia		
								Males	Females	Persons
OTHER STUDENTS										
Agriculture .. .. .		738					7	r43	r2	r45
Applied sciences .. ..	351	r1,480	203	98	389	74	252	r2,550	r297	r2,847
Art and design .. ..	156	584		99	224	93		646	510	1,156
Building, surveying, architecture, etc. .. ..	313	476	356	184	236	66		1,580	51	1,631
Business studies .. ..	1,111	4,207	558	996	1,389	392	380	8,445	588	9,033
Engineering and technology ..	811	2,681	528	470	529	213		5,214	18	5,232
Liberal studies .. ..	19	488		57	161	12	113	557	481	1,038
Music .. .. .			1					8	8	16
Para-medical .. .. .	65	561	78	68	62	52		405	481	886
Total enrolments—1970	2,829	10,515	1,724	1,972	3,190	902	752	19,448	2,436	21,884
1969	2,773	r9,506	r1,205	2,120	2,481	927	317	r17,201	r2,148	r19,349

<b>ALL STUDENTS</b>										
Agriculture .. .. .	r189	r402	r211	89	46		12	r901	r48	r949
Applied sciences .. ..	r377	r2,549	r536	209	594	75	301	r4,085	r556	r4,641
Art and design .. ..	388	1,669		415	362	193		1,510	1,537	3,047
Building, surveying, architecture, etc. .. ..	350	919	356	325	484	75		2,380	129	2,509
Business studies .. ..	1,256	6,049	747	1,148	1,708	414	497	10,697	1,122	11,819
Engineering and technology ..	835	5,606	977	828	948	221	170	9,375	40	9,415
Liberal studies .. ..	26	721		148	515			752	828	1,580
Music .. .. .	314		58			50		108	314	422
Para-medical .. .. .	541	1,484	223	261	357	112		967	2,011	2,978
Teacher education .. ..	434							131	303	434
Total enrolments—1970	4,710	19,399	3,108	3,443	5,014	1,140	980	30,906	6,888	37,794
1969	3,795	r16,980	r2,265	3,420	4,153	1,145	337	r26,487	r5,608	r32,095
Number of students(b)—										
1970	4,700	19,348	3,108	3,443	5,014	1,134	980	30,849	6,878	37,727
1969	3,789	r16,967	r2,265	3,420	4,153	1,121	337	r26,455	r5,597	r32,052

(a) Courses approved by the Minister for Education and Science under the State Grants (Advanced Education) Acts. Includes courses provided by the Canberra College of Advanced Education. (b) Adjusted for students enrolled for more than one advanced level course.

**TEACHERS COLLEGES, BY CATEGORY OF COLLEGE: STATES AND A.C.T., 1970**

	N.S.W. (a)	Vic. (b)	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	A.C.T.	Aust. (a)
<b>Government colleges—</b>								
Providing courses for—								
primary teaching only .. ..	5	7	1	1	3			17
secondary teaching only .. ..		3		1	1			5
both primary and secondary teaching .. ..	5	4	3	3		2		17
<b>All government colleges .. ..</b>	10	14	4	5	4	2		39
<b>Non-government colleges—</b>								
Kindergarten teachers colleges .. ..	2	1	1	1	1			6
All other .. .. .	9	6	1				1	17
<b>All non-government colleges .. ..</b>	11	7	2	1	1		1	23
<b>All teachers colleges—1970</b>	21	21	6	6	5	2	1	62
1969	19	21	6	6	4	2	1	59

(a) Excludes the Australian School of Pacific Administration. (b) Includes the Technical Teachers College.

**ENROLMENTS IN TEACHER EDUCATION(a), BY PLACE OF ENROLMENT AND TYPE OF COURSE: STATES AND A.C.T., 1970**

	Government colleges(b)(c)							Non-government colleges		All colleges
	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	All States	Kinder-garten	Other	
Enrolled at kindergarten teachers colleges ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	977	..	977
Enrolled at teachers college only—										
For primary teaching ..	3,190	4,896	2,248	1,752	1,193	435	13,714	..	1,619	15,333
For secondary teaching ..	1,229	2,360	804	490	93	85	5,061	..	2,210	5,271
Not classifiable as primary or secondary teaching ..	47	..	34	..	..	..	81	..	..	81
Total ..	4,466	7,256	3,086	2,242	1,286	520	18,856	..	1,829	20,685
Enrolled at teachers college and—										
Also enrolled at university—										
For primary teaching ..	..	76	..	285	52	..	414	..	61	475
For secondary teaching ..	4,108	5,068	758	1,340	846	..	12,120	..	56	12,176
Total ..	4,108	5,144	758	1,626	898	..	12,534	..	117	12,651
Also enrolled at college of advanced education—										
For primary teaching ..	..	..	..	..	57	..	57	..	4	61
For secondary teaching ..	501	82	115	432	301	22	1,453	..	2	1,455
Total ..	501	82	115	432	358	22	1,510	..	6	1,516
Also enrolled at another institution—										
For secondary teaching ..	..	520	..	101	12	..	633	..	..	633
Not enrolled at teachers college(d)—										
For primary teaching ..	388	..	..	..	..	60	448	..	..	448
For secondary teaching ..	2,336	..	..	..	..	538	2,874	..	..	2,874
Not classifiable as primary or secondary teaching ..	..	..	..	..	..	69	69	..	..	69
Total ..	2,724	..	..	..	..	667	3,391	..	..	3,391
Total enrolments—										
Departmental students(e)—										
1970 ..	11,547	12,916	3,925	4,272	2,512	1,198	36,370	..	..	36,370
1969 ..	9,994	11,526	3,621	3,783	2,249	1,124	32,297	..	..	32,297
Other students—										
1970 ..	2,552	886	34	129	42	11	3,554	977	1,952	3,483
1969 ..	295	88	22	135	39	8	587	877	1,584	3,048
All students—										
1970 ..	11,799	13,002	3,959	4,401	2,554	1,209	36,924	977	1,952	39,853
1969 ..	10,289	11,614	3,643	3,918	2,288	1,132	32,884	877	1,584	35,345

(a) Includes students enrolled at teachers colleges, whether or not they receive instruction at the college itself, and also departmental students (see footnote (d)) who are not enrolled at a teachers college. Students enrolled for courses specifically designed for practising teachers have been excluded, as have 184 non-award students enrolled in part-time courses at the Technical Teachers' College, Victoria, and 203 technical teacher trainees in Victoria who are given one or two years industrial experience. (b) There are no government teachers colleges in the Northern Territory or the Australian Capital Territory. (c) Includes students enrolled at the Australian School of Pacific Administration. In 1970 there were 36 students enrolled for primary teaching and 84 students for secondary teaching. (d) Departmental students enrolled at another institution, e.g. university or college of advanced education. (e) Departmental students are those students who have been awarded a State Education Department scholarship or fellowship and have entered into an agreement to teach for a specified period after completion of their teacher education.

## UNIVERSITIES

University	Teaching and research staff(a)		Enrolments (c)	Degrees conferred (d)	Total income (e) (\$'000)	Total expenditure (f) (\$'000)
	Full-time	Part-time(b)				
Sydney .. .. .	1971p 1,030	1971p 1,322	1971p 17,202	1970 2,398	1970p 34,733	1970p 34,733
New South Wales .. .. .	1,106	943	17,286	1,871	28,045	28,478
New England .. .. .	346	100	5,693	550	10,522	10,147
Newcastle .. .. .	215	181	3,571	293	6,191	5,417
Macquarie .. .. .	335	228	5,067	152	7,928	8,213
<b>Total, New South Wales ..</b>	<b>3,032</b>	<b>2,774</b>	<b>48,819</b>	<b>5,264</b>	<b>87,419</b>	<b>86,988</b>
Melbourne .. .. .	926	1,065	15,562	2,322	29,323	30,173
Monash .. .. .	766	431	11,341	1,600	21,844	22,846
La Trobe .. .. .	249	97	3,019	186	8,149	8,850
<b>Total, Victoria ..</b>	<b>1,941</b>	<b>1,593</b>	<b>29,922</b>	<b>4,108</b>	<b>59,316</b>	<b>61,869</b>
Queensland .. .. .	941	747	17,485	1,984	20,231	21,374
James Cook .. .. .	140	66	1,464	65	4,779	4,616
<b>Total, Queensland ..</b>	<b>1,081</b>	<b>813</b>	<b>18,949</b>	<b>2,049</b>	<b>25,010</b>	<b>25,990</b>
Adelaide .. .. .	569	631	8,613	1,483	17,357	17,580
Flinders .. .. .	180	126	2,153	206	5,860	5,662
<b>Total, South Australia ..</b>	<b>749</b>	<b>757</b>	<b>10,766</b>	<b>1,689</b>	<b>23,217</b>	<b>23,242</b>
Western Australia .. .. .	495	592	8,374	914	15,396	14,353
Tasmania .. .. .	220	260	3,444	454	6,079	6,175
Australian National .. .. .	327	85	4,822	557	31,826	31,806
<b>All Universities ..</b>	<b>7,845</b>	<b>6,874</b>	<b>125,096</b>	<b>15,035</b>	<b>248,265</b>	<b>250,423</b>
<b>Australia—</b>						
1970 .. .. .	7,371	6,864	117,965	15,035	248,265	250,423
1969 .. .. .	7,019	6,425	111,576	14,714	223,140	213,034
1968 .. .. .	6,487	6,197	103,140	(39)12,822	204,289	207,645
1967 .. .. .	6,044	5,378	96,621	11,395	182,379	184,714

(a) Excludes 'research only' staff. (b) Units of 100 teaching hours per annum. (c) Figures for 1971 and 1970 refer to total enrolments to 30 April, figures for 1969 and 1968 refer to total enrolments to 30 June; figures for earlier years refer to total enrolments to 31 July. (d) Twelve months ended 30 June. Figures for 1967 referred to the year ended 31 July; degrees conferred in July 1967 are therefore included in the 1967 and 1968 figures. The numbers involved are shown in brackets in this summary. (e) Figures: refer to twelve months ended 31 December and include income and expenditure of funds not controlled by universities.

## POLICE AND PRISONS

State or Territory	Police strength 1970(a)	Prisons 1970(a)	Convicted prisoners 1970(a)
New South Wales .. .. .	7,324	21	3,429
Victoria .. .. .	4,739	13	2,178
Queensland .. .. .	3,221	8	1,104
South Australia .. .. .	2,282	16	1,001
Western Australia .. .. .	1,529	17	1,174
Tasmania .. .. .	701	1	337
Northern Territory .. .. .	235	2	198
Australian Capital Territory .. .. .	290	..	(b)
Australia .. .. .	20,321	78	9,197
Australia—			
1969 .. .. .	20,079	74	9,197
1968 .. .. .	19,686	79	8,830
1967 .. .. .	18,977	75	8,739

(a) At 30 June. (b) Included in the figures for New South Wales.

NOTE. The above table excludes Commonwealth Police Force which had the following strength: 1967, 676; 1968, 803; 1969, 858; 1970, 890.

## PUBLIC HOSPITALS AND NURSING HOMES

State or Territory and year	At 30 June				Year ended 30 June		
	Institutions	Beds	Medical staff (a)	Nursing staff	In-patients (daily average) (b)	Revenue	Expenditure
						\$'000	\$'000
1969—							
New South Wales ..	269	27,953	7,160	20,489	21,158	175,954	175,330
Victoria ..	158	17,410	3,757	14,513	13,288	117,748	115,123
Queensland ..	146	13,655	1,102	7,020	8,610	57,091	55,890
South Australia ..	66	5,048	1,050	5,251	3,575	37,064	36,746
Western Australia ..	98	6,857	659	4,651	4,873	48,595	48,562
Tasmania ..	25	3,073	332	2,232	2,100	18,147	18,349
Northern Territory ..	4	619	27	443	466	4,527	4,527
Australian Capital Territory ..	2	627	219	737	530	4,991	4,866
Australia ..	768	75,242	14,306	55,336	54,600	464,117	460,393
Australia—							
1968 ..	762	74,768	13,321	52,236	53,467	413,183	411,869
1967 ..	765	73,748	12,853	49,640	52,323	376,343	377,457
1966 ..	766	71,226	12,791	47,656	50,161	341,741	341,007
1965 ..	761	70,043	12,063	45,244	49,732	310,687	309,434

(a) Includes honorary and visiting medical staff. (b) Newborns are excluded.

NOTE. Out-patient cases treated at public hospitals during 1968-69 were as follows ('000): New South Wales, 1,939; Victoria, 877; Queensland, 1,001; South Australia, 178; Western Australia, 340; Tasmania, 143; Northern Territory, 156; Australian Capital Territory, 29; Australia, 4,663.

## MENTAL HEALTH: MAJOR IN-PATIENT INSTITUTIONS(a) AND EXPENDITURE(b) STATES 1969

State	At 30 June 1969				Expenditure	
	In-patient institutions	Beds and cots for patients	Medical staff	Nursing staff (c)	Maintenance	Capital
					\$'000	\$'000
New South Wales ..	17	10,963 (f)	182	3,530	23,608	3,851
Victoria ..	28 (d)	9,102 (e)	156 (d)	2,989	23,727	2,400
Queensland ..	7	3,577 (f)	33 (f)	1,351	7,507	645
South Australia ..	5	2,122	37	735	5,607	865
Western Australia ..	5	1,514	19	575	4,409	751
Tasmania ..	1	1,030	6	321	2,348	798

(a) These relate only to the following: New South Wales, 14 State psychiatric centres and 3 authorised private psychiatric hospitals; Victoria, 3 psychiatric hospitals, 10 mental hospitals, 6 informal hospitals and 9 intellectual deficiency training centres and schools; Queensland, 3 psychiatric hospitals, 3 training centres and 1 rehabilitation centre; South Australia, 5 mental hospitals; Western Australia, 3 mental hospitals and 2 training centres; and Tasmania, the Lachlan Park-Royal Derwent hospital complex. (b) Maintenance expenditure represents expenditure on wages and salaries, upkeep and repair of buildings and grounds, and other maintenance; the figures for New South Wales relate to the 14 State psychiatric centres only and the Master in Protective Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court. Capital expenditure is expenditure under the *State Grants (Mental Health Institutions) Act 1964-1967* only. (c) Nursing staff and attendants. (d) At 31 December. (e) The number of beds and cots occupied on 31 December 1969. (f) Full-time staff only.

NOTE. There are no separate in-patient institutions in the Northern Territory and the Australian Capital Territory.

**UNIFORM STATISTICS OF SELECTED CRIME REPORTED ON BECOMING KNOWN  
TO THE POLICE, AUSTRALIA, 1967-1970**

Category of crime	1967	1968	1969	1970	1969		1970	
					Six months ending		Six months ending	
					June	Dec.	June	Dec.
<b>Murder—</b>								
Crimes reported or becoming known	137	143	157	172	83	74	90	82
Crimes cleared up	127	140	152	160	82	70	84	76
Involved in crimes cleared up—								
Males	118	140	129	155	67	62	86	69
Females	21	25	38	29	21	17	16	13
Persons	139	165	167	184	88	79	102	82
<b>Attempted murder—</b>								
Crimes reported or becoming known	127	114	90	145	50	40	66	79
Crimes cleared up	116	105	82	139	45	37	63	76
Involved in crimes cleared up—								
Males	100	107	72	131	37	35	60	71
Females	18	13	11	20	8	3	10	10
Persons	118	120	83	151	45	38	70	81
<b>Manlaughter—</b>								
Crimes reported or becoming known	36	43	33	22	19	14	11	11
Crimes cleared up	36	42	33	22	19	14	11	11
Involved in crimes cleared up—								
Males	30	40	31	20	17	14	9	11
Females	3	6	5	2	2	3	2	2
Persons	37	46	36	22	19	17	11	11
<b>Serious assault—</b>								
Crimes reported or becoming known	2,158	2,508	2,483	3,282	1,071	1,412	1,463	1,819
Crimes cleared up	1,748	1,987	1,892	2,524	772	1,120	1,080	1,444
Involved in crimes cleared up—								
Males	1,900	2,089	2,315	2,888	1,079	1,236	1,189	1,699
Females	85	106	110	119	44	66	47	72
Persons	1,985	2,195	2,425	3,007	1,123	1,302	1,236	1,771
<b>Robbery—</b>								
Crimes reported or becoming known	960	1,280	1,599	1,999	705	894	926	1,073
Crimes cleared up	425	459	648	755	266	382	342	413
Involved in crimes cleared up—								
Males	670	802	1,037	1,245	429	608	596	649
Females	26	38	58	44	33	25	17	27
Persons	696	840	1,095	1,289	462	633	613	676
<b>Rape—</b>								
Crimes reported or becoming known	311	363	364	416	162	202	182	234
Crimes cleared up	228	281	286	315	133	153	154	161
Involved in crimes cleared up—								
Males	428	433	394	394	207	187	189	205
Females	428	433	394	394	207	187	189	205
<b>Breaking and entering(a)—</b>								
Crimes reported or becoming known	19,072	23,562	25,597	30,591	12,336	13,261	14,476	16,115
Crimes cleared up	4,088	4,632	4,987	5,444	2,464	2,523	2,531	2,913
Involved in crimes cleared up—								
Males	6,034	6,593	7,121	7,884	3,432	3,689	3,493	4,391
Females	195	174	210	134	104	106	59	75
Persons	6,229	6,767	7,331	8,018	3,536	3,795	3,552	4,466
<b>Motor vehicle theft—</b>								
Crimes reported or becoming known	26,791	29,501	32,492	38,926	15,009	17,483	17,201	21,725
Crimes cleared up	6,039	6,218	6,772	7,820	2,957	3,815	3,494	4,326
Involved in crimes cleared up—								
Males	5,154	9,154	10,459	12,328	4,418	6,041	5,324	7,004
Females	127	249	213	233	91	122	95	138
Persons	5,281	9,403	10,672	12,561	4,509	6,163	5,419	7,142
<b>Fraud, forgery and false pretences—</b>								
Crimes reported or becoming known	15,823	18,955	20,415	22,865	10,335	10,080	9,561	13,304
Crimes cleared up	12,744	15,719	17,244	19,121	8,704	8,541	7,900	11,221
Involved in crimes cleared up—								
Males	10,150	13,825	14,730	14,530	7,643	7,087	6,301	8,229
Females	3,243	2,424	3,247	5,461	1,394	1,853	2,226	3,235
Persons	13,393	16,249	17,977	19,991	9,037	8,940	8,527	11,464

(a) Excludes offences involving property valued at \$100 or less.

**CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS: CASES DEALT WITH AT MAGISTRATES COURTS  
AND PERSONS CONVICTED AT HIGHER COURTS: STATES AND TERRITORIES, 1969**

State or Territory	Cases(a) at Magistrates Courts(b)				Higher Courts
	Charged	Discharged or withdrawn	Convictions	Committed to High Courts	Persons convicted(c)
New South Wales	361,377	42,287	309,297	9,793	3,609
Victoria	341,284	38,195	297,374	3,515	1,689
Queensland(d)	107,375	16,755	89,041	1,579	1,610
South Australia	(d)118,877	(d)12,162	(d)105,966	(d)749	712
Western Australia	90,673	3,767	85,956	950	518
Tasmania	32,587	5,325	26,515	747	292
Northern Territory	13,153	834	12,087	232	120
Australian Capital Territory	6,685	785	5,681	219	68
Australia	1,072,011	120,110	932,117	19,784	8,618

(a) Includes individual offences for which persons were charged, etc., except for Queensland where a person dealt with on several counts at the one hearing is counted only once. (b) Includes Childrens Courts except for the Northern Territory. (c) A person convicted on several counts at the one hearing is counted only once. (d) Year ended 30 June.

## SECTION XIV. WAGES AND PRICES

### AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS PER EMPLOYED MALE UNIT<sup>(a)</sup>

NOTE. Estimates of average weekly earnings per employed male unit have been revised for each State and Australia from September quarter 1966, and for Australia only from September quarter 1961. State estimates for periods prior to September quarter 1966 are not available. Details of the revision were published in "Average Weekly Earnings, September Quarter 1961 to June Quarter 1971" (Reference No. 6.18), issued on 30 August 1971.

The following figures are derived from particulars of employment and wages and salaries recorded on payroll tax returns, from other direct collections, and from estimates of the unrecorded balance. In addition, to salary and wage payments at award rates, the figures include the earnings of employees not covered by awards, overtime earnings, over-award and bonus payments, payments made in advance or retrospectively during the periods specified, etc. The figures relate to civilians only.

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Period	N.S.W.(b)	Vic.	Qld	S.A.(c)	W.A.	Tas.	Australia (d)
<b>Year—</b>							
1966-67	63.50	63.90	57.10	57.60	59.20	58.40	61.70
1967-68	67.00	67.60	60.20	61.10	63.90	61.90	65.30
1968-69	72.70	72.10	64.30	65.20	68.70	65.60	70.20
1969-70	78.80	78.10	69.20	70.90	75.50	70.80	76.10
1970-71	87.90	86.20	77.80	78.40	84.60	78.70	84.70
<b>Quarter—</b>							
1969—March	70.50	70.30	61.90	63.80	67.30	63.50	68.30
June	75.20	74.60	67.30	66.60	71.20	67.50	72.60
September	76.20	76.00	67.60	69.30	73.30	68.80	73.90
December	81.60	80.80	71.50	72.90	78.00	73.90	78.70
1970—March	74.90	74.30	65.90	68.10	72.70	66.30	72.50
June	82.30	81.10	71.90	73.50	78.00	74.30	79.10
September	83.50	82.10	73.90	76.10	80.50	74.40	80.70
December	89.70	87.50	79.10	78.70	85.70	80.50	86.10
1971—March	85.00	83.70	75.70	76.50	82.40	74.90	82.10
June	93.10	91.50	82.60	82.20	89.40	84.90	89.70

(a) Total wages and salaries, etc., divided by the total number of civilian employees expressed in male units, i.e. total male employees plus a proportion of female employees, the proportion being derived from the estimated ratio of female to male average earnings in each State. (b) Includes the Australian Capital Territory. (c) Includes the Northern Territory. (d) Estimates for the years 1961-62 to 1965-66 are as follows: 1961-62 \$47.60, 1962-63 \$48.90, 1963-64 \$51.50, 1964-65 \$55.30, 1965-66 \$57.90.

The quarterly figures given above are affected by seasonal influences. For example special payments, including prepayment for holiday periods, tend to raise the December quarter and to depress the March quarter averages. In addition, figures for all quarters are affected by the varying incidence of pay days in successive quarters. Allowance for the varying incidence of pay days and for seasonal factors has been made in calculating the seasonally adjusted estimates shown in the following table. It should also be noted that seasonal adjustment factors were estimated from a series adjusted to allow for the effects of major awards and determinations of Commonwealth and State industrial authorities. The effects of these awards and determinations are retained in the seasonally adjusted data.

### AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS PER EMPLOYED MALE UNIT<sup>(a)</sup>, AUSTRALIA SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

Quarter	\$	Quarter	\$
1966—September	60.70	1969—March	71.70
December	61.10	June	72.20
1967—March	62.00	September	73.60
June	63.20	December	75.00
September	64.20	1970—March	77.10
December	64.90	June	78.80
1968—March	65.50	September	80.00
June	66.80	December	81.90
September	67.70	1971—March	87.50
December	69.80	June	88.50

(a) See explanatory notes and footnote (a) to table above.

## INDEXES OF WAGE RATES AND HOURS OF WORK

The indexes of weighted average minimum weekly and hourly wage rates and standard hours of work shown on this and the following two pages are based, in the main, on the occupation structure existing in 1954.

Each of the occupations included in the indexes is individually weighted. From the wage rates and hours of work for these occupations, weighted averages are calculated for each industry and for all groups.

In the following tables the weighted averages so calculated are shown in dollars and cents and also as index numbers with the weighted average for the year 1954 as base (=100).

For details of wage rates and index numbers from 1939 references should be made to the following bulletins: *Minimum Wage Rates, March 1939 to June 1965* (ref. No. 6.17), *Wage Rates Indexes, June 1965 to June 1968* (ref. No. 6.21), *Wage Rates and Earnings, June 1970* (ref. No. 6.16) (for final figures July 1968 to June 1969). Figures for months subsequent to June 1969 will be found in the monthly bulletins, *Wage Rates and Earnings* (ref. No. 6.16) commencing with the June 1970 issue.

## WEEKLY WAGE RATES(a): ALL GROUPS

Indexes of weighted average minimum weekly rates payable for a full week's work (excluding overtime), as prescribed in awards, determinations and agreements, and index numbers of wage rates.

End of—	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
ADULT MALES—RATES OF WAGE(b) (\$)							
December 1965 .. ..	41.08	40.34	41.66	39.48	40.49	40.73	40.76
December 1966 .. ..	43.27	42.78	43.56	41.75	43.38	43.27	43.05
December 1967 .. ..	45.35	44.59	45.55	43.79	45.08	45.31	45.00
December 1968 .. ..	49.46	48.86	49.01	48.23	47.72	48.98	48.98
December 1969 .. ..	52.38	51.74	51.91	50.71	50.69	52.00	51.86
December 1970 .. ..	54.12	53.47	55.03	51.90	55.93	54.22	53.99
May 1971 .. ..	58.11	57.61	58.92	55.90	57.80	58.29	57.86

## ADULT MALES—INDEX NUMBERS (BASE: AUSTRALIA, 1954=100)

December 1965 .. ..	145.5	142.8	147.5	139.8	143.4	144.2	144.3
December 1966 .. ..	153.2	151.5	154.2	147.8	153.6	153.2	152.4
December 1967 .. ..	160.6	157.9	161.3	155.1	159.6	160.4	159.3
December 1968 .. ..	175.1	173.0	173.5	170.8	169.0	173.4	173.4
December 1969 .. ..	185.5	183.2	183.8	179.6	179.5	184.1	183.6
December 1970 .. ..	191.6	189.3	194.8	183.8	198.0	192.0	191.2
May 1971 .. ..	205.7	203.9	208.6	197.9	204.6	206.4	204.8

## ADULT FEMALES—RATES OF WAGE(b) (\$)

December 1965 .. ..	29.93	28.46	29.17	27.75	28.70	27.94	29.10
December 1966 .. ..	31.52	30.06	30.53	29.42	30.72	29.80	30.70
December 1967 .. ..	33.29	32.04	32.71	31.32	32.01	31.62	32.57
December 1968 .. ..	35.53	34.52	34.70	33.60	34.13	33.46	34.85
December 1969 .. ..	38.69	37.08	37.64	35.70	36.68	36.94	37.69
December 1970 .. ..	40.62	38.64	40.58	37.14	40.00	38.13	39.62
May 1971 .. ..	43.86	41.95	43.74	41.07	40.99	41.39	42.81

## ADULT FEMALES—INDEX NUMBERS (BASE: AUSTRALIA, 1954=100)

December 1965 .. ..	150.4	143.0	146.5	139.4	144.1	140.4	146.2
December 1966 .. ..	158.3	151.0	153.4	147.8	154.3	149.7	154.2
December 1967 .. ..	167.2	160.9	164.3	157.3	160.8	158.8	163.6
December 1968 .. ..	178.5	173.4	174.3	168.8	171.4	168.1	175.0
December 1969 .. ..	194.4	186.2	189.0	179.3	184.2	185.6	189.3
December 1970 .. ..	204.0	194.1	203.8	186.5	200.9	191.5	199.0
May 1971 .. ..	220.3	210.7	219.7	206.3	205.9	207.9	215.0

(a) Excludes rural. Figures for December 1969 and subsequent months are subject to revision. (b) The amounts shown should not be regarded as actual current averages but as indexes expressed in money terms, indicative of trends.

**WEEKLY AND HOURLY RATES OF WAGE AND WEEKLY HOURS OF WORK:  
ADULT MALES, INDUSTRY GROUPS, 31 MAY 1971(a)**

Indexes of weighted average minimum weekly rates payable for a full week's work (excluding overtime) and weekly hours of work, as prescribed in awards, determinations and agreements, and indexes of hourly rates.

Industry group	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
<b>WEEKLY RATES OF WAGE(\$)</b>							
Mining and quarrying(b)	67.09	57.46	67.58	51.20	57.51	61.42	64.39
Manufacturing—							
Engineering, metals, vehicles, etc.	54.64	55.47	58.31	54.51	56.36	58.84	55.34
Textiles, clothing and footwear	54.38	54.22	55.70	52.99	56.63	51.38	54.29
Food, drink and tobacco	56.03	58.53	55.42	53.45	57.23	55.43	56.52
Sawmilling, furniture, etc.	57.50	55.57	56.80	54.84	55.61	54.53	56.33
Paper, printing, etc.	59.46	61.66	66.95	60.23	66.28	57.62	61.13
Other manufacturing	56.76	55.71	56.07	54.79	56.01	52.74	56.06
All manufacturing groups	55.65	56.12	57.39	54.64	56.77	56.22	55.96
Building and construction	60.12	63.30	57.41	58.91	59.55	58.94	60.22
Railway services	54.13	50.55	58.83	52.72	54.80	55.72	54.52
Road and air transport	58.84	56.25	56.15	53.81	58.16	58.77	57.30
Shipping and stevedoring(c)	63.92	64.14	63.21	62.84	64.74	64.02	63.79
Communication	73.66	73.87	73.10	73.48	73.66	72.73	73.43
Wholesale and retail trade	59.17	57.43	58.86	55.17	56.69	57.22	58.02
Public authority (n.e.i.) and community and business services	57.97	56.55	59.82	53.36	55.39	62.33	57.40
Amusement, hotels, personal service, etc.	55.54	54.20	53.33	50.10	53.30	54.21	54.23
All industry groups(d)	58.11	57.61	58.92	55.90	57.80	58.29	57.86
<b>HOURLY RATES OF WAGE (CENTS)</b>							
Mining and quarrying(b)	171.52	143.65	173.55	128.00	150.70	155.25	168.38
Manufacturing—							
Engineering, metals, vehicles, etc.	136.60	138.67	145.78	136.28	140.90	147.10	138.35
Textiles, clothing and footwear	135.94	135.56	139.25	132.47	141.57	128.44	135.72
Food, drink and tobacco	140.26	146.32	138.54	133.63	143.07	138.57	141.36
Sawmilling, furniture, etc.	143.74	138.43	142.00	137.10	139.02	136.32	140.83
Paper, printing, etc.	148.64	154.36	167.36	150.58	169.04	144.04	153.02
Other manufacturing	141.90	139.39	140.18	137.30	139.71	131.96	140.19
All manufacturing groups	139.15	140.33	143.48	136.66	141.99	140.58	139.93
Building and construction	150.30	158.24	143.51	147.28	148.88	147.35	150.55
Railway services	135.31	126.50	147.07	131.80	136.99	139.30	136.34
Road and air transport	147.10	140.62	140.38	134.53	145.40	146.93	143.24
Communication	184.15	184.67	182.75	185.60	184.15	183.70	183.80
Wholesale and retail trade	147.93	143.59	147.16	137.93	141.73	143.05	145.05
Public authority (n.e.i.) and community and business services	147.78	145.25	151.37	136.02	139.94	158.24	146.25
Amusement, hotels, personal service, etc.	138.86	135.49	133.33	125.26	133.26	135.52	135.58
All industry groups(e)	145.47	143.81	147.19	139.25	144.67	145.05	144.59
<b>WEEKLY HOURS OF WORK</b>							
Mining and quarrying(b)	37.58	40.00	38.94	40.00	38.16	39.56	39.24
Manufacturing—							
Engineering, metals, vehicles, etc.	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Textiles, clothing and footwear	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Food, drink and tobacco	39.94	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	39.98
Sawmilling, furniture, etc.	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Paper, printing, etc.	40.00	39.94	40.00	40.00	39.21	40.00	39.95
Other manufacturing	40.00	39.96	40.00	39.91	40.09	39.97	39.98
All manufacturing groups	39.99	39.99	40.00	39.98	39.98	40.00	39.99
Building and construction	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Railway services	40.00	39.96	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	39.99
Road and air transport	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Communication	40.00	40.00	40.00	39.59	40.00	39.59	39.95
Wholesale and retail trade	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Public authority (n.e.i.) and community and business services	39.23	38.93	39.52	39.23	39.58	39.39	39.25
Amusement, hotels, personal service, etc.	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
All industry groups(f)	39.86	39.97	39.94	39.96	39.85	39.95	39.91

(a) See footnotes on following page.

**WEEKLY AND HOURLY RATES OF WAGE AND WEEKLY HOURS OF WORK:  
ADULT FEMALES, INDUSTRY GROUPS, 31 MAY 1971(a)**

Indexes of weighted average minimum weekly rates payable for a full week's work (excluding overtime), and weekly hours of work, as prescribed in awards, determinations and agreements, and indexes of hourly rates.

Industry group	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
<b>WEEKLY RATES OF WAGE(\$)</b>							
Manufacturing—							
Engineering, metals, vehicles, etc.	44.75	44.40	43.65	42.43	39.84	42.76	44.22
Textiles, clothing and footwear ..	39.29	38.54	39.68	39.91	40.08	36.35	38.96
Food, drink and tobacco ..	42.93	39.96	40.39	38.77	37.09	38.60	40.79
Other manufacturing ..	40.57	40.42	42.56	38.78	38.84	37.51	40.47
All manufacturing groups ..	41.16	39.90	40.93	40.27	39.09	37.89	40.47
Transport and communication ..	49.35	48.56	50.13	49.79	49.88	54.13	49.40
Wholesale and retail trade ..	46.94	43.75	44.97	41.70	41.59	42.20	44.78
Public authority (n.e.i.) and community and business services ..	45.48	46.05	45.69	40.71	39.96	46.09	44.99
Amusement, hotels, personal service, etc. ..	44.42	43.24	41.58	37.20	40.29	42.42	42.88
All industry groups(f) ..	43.86	41.95	43.74	41.07	40.99	41.39	42.81

**HOURLY RATES OF WAGE (CENTS)**

Manufacturing—							
Engineering, metals, vehicles, etc.	111.97	111.38	109.13	106.07	99.61	106.90	110.70
Textiles, clothing and footwear ..	98.34	96.36	99.20	99.79	100.20	90.87	97.44
Food, drink and tobacco ..	107.32	99.89	100.97	96.92	92.72	96.49	101.99
Other manufacturing ..	101.96	101.20	106.40	97.28	97.09	93.78	101.49
All manufacturing groups ..	103.09	99.83	102.32	100.75	97.73	94.73	101.28
Transport and communication ..	129.73	127.99	132.60	131.60	131.72	149.21	130.32
Wholesale and retail trade ..	118.68	109.37	112.42	104.26	103.99	105.49	112.46
Public authority (n.e.i.) and community and business services ..	118.15	117.34	116.44	103.90	101.33	122.34	115.60
Amusement, hotels, personal service, etc. ..	112.73	108.27	104.20	93.36	100.92	106.39	108.07
All industry groups(f) ..	110.97	105.38	110.17	103.27	103.04	104.46	107.91

**WEEKLY HOURS OF WORK**

Manufacturing—							
Engineering, metals, vehicles, etc.	39.97	39.87	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	39.94
Textiles, clothing and footwear ..	39.95	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	39.98
Food, drink and tobacco ..	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Other manufacturing ..	39.79	39.94	40.00	39.86	40.00	40.00	39.87
All manufacturing groups ..	39.92	39.97	40.00	39.97	40.00	40.00	39.95
Transport and communication ..	38.04	37.94	37.81	37.84	37.87	36.28	37.91
Wholesale and retail trade ..	39.55	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	39.82
Public authority (n.e.i.) and community and business services ..	38.49	39.25	39.24	39.19	39.44	37.67	38.92
Amusement, hotels, personal service, etc. ..	39.40	39.94	39.91	39.85	39.92	39.88	39.68
All industry groups(f) ..	39.53	39.81	39.70	39.77	39.78	39.63	39.67

(a) The amounts shown should not be regarded as actual current averages, but as indexes expressed in money and hour terms, indicative of trends. Figures are subject to revision. (b) For mining, the average rates of wage and hours are those prevailing at the principal mining centres in each State. (c) Average rates of wage are for occupations other than masters' officers and engineers in the Merchant Marine Service, and include value of keep, where supplied. (d) Excludes rural. (e) Excludes rural and shipping and stevedoring. The former is not included in the Wage Rates Indexes and for the latter definite particulars for the computation of average hours of work and hourly rates of wage are not available. (f) Excludes rural; mining and quarrying; and building and construction.

### BASIC WAGE—WEEKLY RATES FOR ADULT MALES UNDER AWARDS OF COMMONWEALTH CONCILIATION AND ARBITRATION COMMISSION

In June 1967 the Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Commission decided to eliminate basic wages and margins from its awards and to introduce total wages to operate from the beginning of the first pay-period commencing on or after 1 July 1967. Consequently the table of Commonwealth basic wages previously shown in this publication has been discontinued. (See Note below.)

### STATE BASIC WAGES: WEEKLY RATES

Basic wage rates still operate in awards, determinations, etc., of State industrial tribunals in all States except Victoria and these rates are shown in the table below.(a)

State and locality						Date operative	Adult males	Adult females
New South Wales	**	**	**	**	**	1.1.71	\$ 39.10	\$ 30.00
Victoria	**	**	**	**	**	...	(b)	(b)
Queensland—								
Southern Division—								
Eastern District, including Brisbane						4.1.71	38.85	29.75
Western District						4.1.71	39.90	30.55
Mackay Division						4.1.71	39.75	30.43
Northern Division—								
Eastern District						4.1.71	39.90	30.55
Western District						4.1.71	42.10	32.20
South Australia(c)						4.1.71	37.85	29.00
Western Australia						26.10.70	38.45	29.40
Tasmania						1.1.71(d)	39.00	29.90

(a) See text above and Note below. (b) Basic wages and margins deleted from Wages Board determinations in July 1967 and wage rates expressed as total wages (see Note below). (c) An economic loading of 3 per cent of the sum of the living wage plus margin was added to all award rates of pay from 22 December 1969. As from 4 January 1971 the economic loading was absorbed in the living wage and margins and a new living wage was determined. (d) Operative from the beginning of the first pay-period commencing on or after the date shown.

NOTE. Details of general increases in award 'total wages' in Commonwealth awards and in Victorian Wages Board determinations, and details of rates of minimum wage for adult males prescribed in Commonwealth and State awards are shown in the monthly bulletin, *Wage Rates and Earnings* (Ref. No. 6.16).

## CONSUMER PRICE INDEX: GROUP INDEX NUMBERS

Six State capital cities and Canberra

(Base of each index: year 1966-67 = 100.0)(a)

The Consumer Price Index has been compiled for periods from September quarter 1948. A detailed description of the index is contained in Labour Report, No. 54, 1968 and 1969. The separate city indexes measure price movements within each city individually. They do not compare price levels as between cities.

Period	State capital cities—combined and separately							Canberra
	Weighted average of six State capital cities	Sydney	Melbourne	Brisbane	Adelaide	Perth	Hobart	

## ALL GROUPS

<b>Year—</b>								
1961-62 .. ..	89.6	89.9	89.8	88.4	89.5	88.2	90.7	91.6
1962-63 .. ..	89.8	90.4	89.7	88.7	89.1	88.7	90.7	91.8
1963-64 .. ..	90.6	91.4	90.4	89.6	90.2	89.8	91.7	92.5
1964-65 .. ..	94.0	94.5	94.0	93.0	93.9	92.6	94.6	95.3
1965-66 .. ..	97.4	97.7	97.5	97.5	97.0	96.1	98.0	98.1
1966-67 .. ..	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1967-68 .. ..	103.3	103.2	103.7	103.3	102.9	102.9	104.6	102.6
1968-69 .. ..	106.0	106.2	106.2	105.5	105.3	105.5	106.1	104.4
1969-70 .. ..	109.4	110.6	108.7	108.4	108.2	109.4	108.5	107.4
1970-71 .. ..	114.6	116.8	113.1	114.2	112.5	114.1	112.6	113.0
<b>Quarter—</b>								
1968-69—March ..	106.4	106.7	106.6	105.8	105.5	105.6	106.5	104.8
June .. ..	107.2	107.6	107.2	106.3	106.4	107.0	107.0	105.2
1969-70—September ..	107.8	108.4	107.6	107.2	106.9	107.7	107.4	106.0
December .. ..	108.7	109.6	108.3	107.9	107.3	108.7	108.1	106.7
March .. ..	109.8	111.3	108.9	108.9	108.4	109.9	108.9	108.0
June .. ..	111.2	112.9	110.1	109.7	110.0	111.4	109.6	109.0
1970-71—September ..	111.9	113.9	110.7	111.1	109.9	111.6	110.2	109.7
December .. ..	114.0	116.2	112.6	113.3	111.8	113.5	112.4	113.2
March .. ..	115.2	117.4	113.7	115.1	112.9	114.8	113.2	113.6
June .. ..	117.2	119.8	115.2	117.2	115.4	116.4	114.6	115.6

## FOOD GROUP

<b>Year—</b>								
1961-62 .. ..	88.6	88.5	90.7	85.2	87.7	86.1	90.2	90.2
1962-63 .. ..	87.8	87.9	89.4	84.6	86.6	86.4	88.9	88.5
1963-64 .. ..	89.0	89.0	90.3	86.7	88.8	87.4	90.1	89.2
1964-65 .. ..	93.9	94.1	95.1	92.2	93.9	91.0	94.0	93.7
1965-66 .. ..	98.4	98.8	99.0	98.4	97.1	95.2	98.9	98.0
1966-67 .. ..	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1967-68 .. ..	104.7	103.9	106.3	103.7	104.7	102.9	106.8	104.3
1968-69 .. ..	105.8	104.9	107.3	104.7	106.4	104.5	105.3	105.1
1969-70 .. ..	108.1	107.8	109.1	107.7	107.1	108.1	106.4	107.0
1970-71 .. ..	112.4	112.8	112.7	113.5	109.5	112.5	109.6	110.7
<b>Quarter—</b>								
1968-69—March ..	105.7	105.0	107.1	105.1	105.8	104.1	105.1	104.8
June .. ..	106.6	105.9	107.8	105.5	106.7	106.9	105.8	105.3
1969-70—September ..	106.6	105.5	107.9	106.2	106.3	106.9	105.6	105.7
December .. ..	107.1	106.7	108.2	106.9	106.3	106.1	106.0	106.3
March .. ..	108.7	109.0	109.2	108.6	107.1	108.4	106.9	107.4
June .. ..	110.1	110.0	110.9	109.1	108.6	111.0	106.9	108.5
1970-71—September ..	110.9	110.8	112.2	110.5	108.2	111.2	108.4	109.5
December .. ..	112.0	112.2	112.8	112.8	108.8	111.3	110.1	110.7
March .. ..	112.3	113.0	112.1	113.9	109.4	112.7	109.5	110.1
June .. ..	114.3	115.1	113.7	116.8	111.5	114.9	110.2	112.4

(a) Figures appearing after the decimal point possess little significance for general statistical purposes. They are inserted to avoid distortions that would occur in rounding off the figures to the nearest whole number.

## WAGES AND PRICES

## Consumer Price Index—continued

(Base of each index: year 1966-67 = 100.0)(a)

The separate city indexes measure price movements within each city individually. They do not compare price levels as between cities.

Period	State capital cities—combined and separately							Canberra
	Weighted average of six State capital cities	Sydney	Melbourne	Brisbane	Adelaide	Perth	Hobart	
CLOTHING AND DRAPERY GROUP								
Year—								
1961-62 .. ..	94.4	94.2	94.6	94.4	94.1	94.7	94.7	94.5
1962-63 .. ..	94.7	94.6	94.9	94.6	94.6	95.0	95.2	95.0
1963-64 .. ..	95.3	95.2	95.5	95.3	95.5	95.7	95.7	95.4
1964-65 .. ..	96.8	96.6	96.9	96.6	96.9	96.8	97.0	96.8
1965-66 .. ..	97.9	97.7	98.0	97.8	97.8	97.9	98.0	97.9
1966-67 .. ..	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1967-68 .. ..	102.2	102.2	102.1	102.4	102.2	102.1	102.4	102.3
1968-69 .. ..	104.3	104.2	104.2	104.3	104.5	104.5	104.5	104.2
1969-70 .. ..	107.5	107.5	107.4	107.3	108.1	107.8	107.9	107.5
1970-71 .. ..	111.9	112.0	111.5	111.7	112.6	112.3	111.9	111.7
Quarter—								
1968-69—March ..	104.4	104.4	104.3	104.4	104.6	104.7	104.7	104.3
June .. ..	105.2	105.0	105.1	105.2	105.6	105.5	105.3	105.0
1969-70—September ..	106.0	106.0	105.9	105.8	106.2	106.4	106.2	105.9
December .. ..	107.2	107.1	107.0	107.0	107.8	107.5	107.6	107.0
March .. ..	107.9	107.9	107.8	107.7	108.4	108.0	108.2	107.9
June .. ..	108.9	108.8	108.8	108.8	109.8	109.1	109.4	109.0
1970-71—September ..	109.2	109.2	109.0	109.2	110.0	109.4	109.5	109.2
December .. ..	110.9	110.9	110.7	110.9	111.6	111.2	111.0	110.7
March .. ..	112.2	112.4	111.8	112.1	112.8	112.7	112.0	111.8
June .. ..	115.1	115.3	114.6	114.7	115.8	115.7	115.0	114.9
HOUSING GROUP								
Year—								
1961-62 .. ..	84.0	81.6	85.6	86.3	85.9	84.3	85.6	90.8
1962-63 .. ..	86.5	84.8	87.6	88.5	86.7	86.9	88.2	95.8
1963-64 .. ..	89.1	88.5	89.4	89.2	88.7	89.8	90.9	96.0
1964-65 .. ..	92.0	92.1	92.0	91.5	92.1	92.1	94.5	97.1
1965-66 .. ..	95.9	95.3	96.3	97.3	95.7	95.4	97.1	98.6
1966-67 .. ..	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1967-68 .. ..	104.5	105.0	103.8	105.8	102.1	105.8	103.6	100.4
1968-69 .. ..	109.1	110.5	107.9	109.6	104.7	112.7	108.4	101.9
1969-70 .. ..	115.5	119.9	112.2	113.4	109.3	120.1	112.6	104.6
1970-71 .. ..	123.5	131.6	117.8	118.3	115.9	125.7	117.4	116.3
Quarter—								
1968-69—March ..	109.7	111.2	108.4	110.0	105.3	113.7	109.4	102.1
June .. ..	111.2	113.3	109.7	110.7	106.3	115.1	110.1	102.4
1969-70—September ..	112.8	115.7	110.5	112.7	107.4	117.0	110.6	102.7
December .. ..	114.7	118.3	111.8	113.0	108.9	119.9	112.3	103.2
March .. ..	116.2	120.8	112.6	113.6	109.9	121.2	113.2	106.0
June .. ..	118.3	124.8	113.7	114.1	111.0	122.1	114.1	106.4
1970-71—September ..	120.2	128.1	114.4	115.9	111.7	122.7	115.0	106.9
December .. ..	122.7	130.1	117.6	116.8	116.0	125.5	117.0	118.8
March .. ..	124.4	132.4	118.7	118.9	117.2	126.9	118.2	119.4
June .. ..	126.8	135.6	120.6	121.4	118.5	127.6	119.2	120.0

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## Consumer Price Index—continued

(Base of each index: year 1966-67 = 100.0)(a)

The separate city indexes measure price movements within each city individually. They do not compare price levels as between cities.

Period	State capital cities—combined and separately							Canberra
	Weighted average of six State capital cities	Sydney	Melbourne	Brisbane	Adelaide	Perth	Hobart	

## HOUSEHOLD SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT GROUP

Year—									
1961-62	.. ..	97.9	100.9	94.9	97.0	99.7	97.6	97.5	100.3
1962-63	.. ..	97.7	100.5	94.8	96.9	99.2	97.3	97.1	99.6
1963-64	.. ..	96.4	99.2	93.6	95.9	97.5	95.7	97.1	99.2
1964-65	.. ..	97.2	98.7	95.8	96.8	98.0	96.7	97.6	99.6
1965-66	.. ..	98.9	99.3	98.7	98.8	99.2	98.3	98.6	99.7
1966-67	.. ..	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1967-68	.. ..	101.2	101.2	101.4	101.2	100.3	100.7	102.9	100.4
1968-69	.. ..	102.9	103.0	102.9	104.3	101.1	102.1	104.5	100.6
1969-70	.. ..	104.1	104.8	103.5	105.5	102.0	103.7	106.1	101.9
1970-71	.. ..	107.4	109.3	105.8	108.5	105.4	107.7	109.2	104.7
Quarter—									
1968-69—March	..	103.0	103.3	102.8	104.7	101.4	102.3	104.7	100.7
June	..	103.7	104.3	103.6	104.8	101.5	102.6	105.2	101.0
1969-70—September	..	103.7	104.3	103.5	105.2	101.5	102.7	105.5	101.4
December	..	103.9	104.5	103.6	105.2	101.6	103.6	105.8	101.7
March	..	104.0	105.0	103.1	105.5	101.9	103.8	106.3	101.9
June	..	104.7	105.5	103.8	105.9	102.9	104.8	106.9	102.5
1970-71—September	..	105.4	106.5	104.4	106.5	103.5	105.8	107.6	104.0
December	..	106.6	108.6	105.1	107.5	104.3	106.7	108.4	104.2
March	..	107.8	109.6	106.1	109.2	105.6	108.4	109.1	104.5
June	..	109.8	112.4	107.4	110.6	108.1	109.7	111.6	106.0

## MISCELLANEOUS GROUP

Year—									
1961-62	.. ..	86.1	87.9	84.7	85.6	85.5	84.0	87.5	87.5
1962-63	.. ..	86.6	88.8	84.9	86.3	85.3	84.2	87.6	87.7
1963-64	.. ..	87.3	89.3	85.7	86.8	85.8	86.2	88.4	89.4
1964-65	.. ..	91.4	92.8	90.6	90.4	90.9	90.0	92.0	93.1
1965-66	.. ..	95.8	96.4	95.1	95.5	95.7	95.3	96.7	97.1
1966-67	.. ..	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1967-68	.. ..	102.8	103.0	102.5	103.2	102.6	103.2	104.5	103.0
1968-69	.. ..	107.5	108.5	107.3	106.0	107.0	105.6	108.0	107.0
1969-70	.. ..	111.6	113.7	110.2	109.2	112.0	109.8	111.0	112.4
1970-71	.. ..	117.8	120.3	115.8	117.3	118.1	114.8	116.6	119.3
Quarter—									
1968-69—March	..	108.5	109.8	108.6	106.3	107.9	105.9	109.0	108.7
June	..	108.9	110.2	108.6	106.6	109.2	106.5	109.4	108.9
1969-70—September	..	110.0	111.6	109.1	107.9	110.4	107.5	110.0	110.4
December	..	110.9	112.8	109.9	108.5	110.5	109.8	110.4	111.6
March	..	112.0	114.3	110.3	109.5	112.4	110.5	111.2	113.1
June	..	113.5	116.1	111.5	110.7	114.8	111.5	112.5	114.3
1970-71—September	..	113.7	116.4	111.6	112.9	114.2	110.9	112.2	114.7
December	..	117.5	120.4	115.0	116.6	117.3	115.2	116.3	119.3
March	..	119.4	121.4	118.0	119.5	118.9	116.1	118.3	120.7
June	..	120.7	123.1	118.7	120.3	121.9	116.9	119.4	122.5

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### WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX OF MATERIALS USED IN BUILDING OTHER THAN HOUSE BUILDING

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#### All Groups Index Numbers—Six State Capital Cities

(Base of each Index Year 1966-67=100.0)(a)

Period	State capital cities—separately and combined						Weighted average of six State capital cities
	Sydney	Melbourne	Brisbane	Adelaide	Perth	Hobart	
1966-67	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1967-68	102.6	101.7	102.2	101.8	102.0	102.3	102.2
1968-69	106.5	105.0	105.1	105.0	104.7	105.1	105.6
1969-70	111.7	109.8	110.3	109.4	108.9	109.7	110.5
1970-71 p	116.4	115.1	116.4	113.8	113.3	115.0	115.5
1968-69—							
May	108.8	106.6	107.5	106.9	106.0	106.6	107.6
June	109.2	107.1	107.6	107.1	106.4	106.9	107.9
1969-70—							
July	109.4	107.3	108.0	107.4	106.8	107.4	108.2
August	109.7	108.2	108.0	107.6	107.2	107.7	108.6
September	110.1	108.7	108.4	108.3	107.9	108.0	109.1
October	110.2	108.8	108.9	108.4	107.8	108.5	109.2
November	110.3	108.9	109.1	108.4	107.8	108.5	109.3
December	110.7	109.2	109.5	108.7	108.1	108.7	109.7
January	111.6	109.8	110.5	109.1	108.7	109.6	110.4
February	112.7	110.9	111.5	110.1	109.3	110.8	111.5
March	113.3	111.2	111.9	110.9	110.3	111.1	112.0
April	114.1	111.5	112.6	111.5	110.7	112.0	112.6
May	114.3	111.4	112.8	111.4	110.9	112.1	112.7
June	114.1	111.3	112.7	111.3	110.8	112.4	112.6
1970-71—							
July	114.3	111.3	113.4	111.3	110.9	112.6	112.8
August	114.4	112.0	114.4	111.4	111.1	112.7	113.2
September	114.4	112.4	114.5	111.4	111.0	112.9	113.3
October	114.2	112.9	114.5	111.7	110.9	112.8	113.4
November	114.5	113.3	114.7	112.3	112.0	114.0	113.8
December	114.5	113.5	115.2	112.4	112.5	114.2	114.0
January	116.7	114.7	116.2	113.2	113.6	115.1	115.5
February	117.6	116.3	117.6	114.3	114.2	116.5	116.6
March	118.4	117.6	118.7	116.0	115.0	117.2	117.7
April	118.8	118.3	118.9	116.6	115.6	117.2	118.2
May p	118.9	118.6	118.8	117.1	115.8	117.0	118.3
June p	120.1	119.6	119.8	118.4	116.9	118.2	119.4

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# WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX OF MATERIALS USED IN BUILDING OTHER THAN HOUSE BUILDING

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## GROUP INDEX NUMBERS

WEIGHTED AVERAGE : SIX STATE CAPITAL CITIES

(Base of each Index: Year 1966-67 = 100.0)(a)

Period	Concrete mix, cement, sand, etc.	Cement products	Bricks, stone, etc.	Timber, board and joinery	Steel and iron products	Alu- minum products	Other metal products	Plumb- ing fixtures	Miscel- laneous materials	Elect- rical instal- lation materials (b) (c)	Mech- anical services com- ponents (b)	All groups
1966-67 ..	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1967-68 ..	101.5	102.2	103.7	103.0	102.3	101.4	105.9	102.8	102.3	100.9	101.4	102.2
1968-69 ..	103.5	106.8	108.2	107.2	106.1	103.9	106.8	103.3	103.2	102.1	107.7	105.6
1969-70 ..	106.9	111.7	112.6	111.2	110.1	107.4	126.3	113.7	105.8	112.2	111.8	110.5
1970-71 p ..	113.0	118.0	118.6	117.0	115.8	113.0	121.4	121.3	110.3	110.9	119.0	115.5
1968-69—												
May ..	105.0	109.7	109.6	109.4	108.0	104.4	114.8	105.3	103.6	105.7	109.2	107.6
June ..	105.1	109.9	109.9	110.1	107.9	105.1	117.9	105.3	103.6	107.2	109.4	107.9
1969-70—												
July ..	105.3	110.1	110.1	110.1	107.9	105.4	118.6	107.8	103.9	108.4	109.5	108.2
August ..	106.8	110.3	110.1	110.5	108.0	105.6	121.2	109.2	104.3	109.3	109.7	108.6
September ..	107.0	110.6	110.5	110.6	108.3	105.8	124.9	109.4	105.1	111.3	109.3	109.1
October ..	107.1	110.9	111.2	110.9	108.4	106.2	123.1	110.4	105.4	111.2	109.3	109.2
November ..	107.1	111.1	111.2	110.9	108.6	106.1	123.8	112.2	105.8	110.5	109.4	109.3
December ..	107.2	111.2	111.4	110.9	108.7	106.2	127.8	114.1	105.8	112.7	109.4	109.7
January ..	108.1	111.8	113.0	111.0	110.1	106.7	128.4	114.1	105.9	112.8	109.8	110.4
February ..	107.7	112.2	113.9	111.0	111.2	108.1	127.3	117.3	106.3	112.9	114.2	111.5
March ..	107.2	112.5	114.6	111.4	111.9	108.6	129.6	117.4	106.7	113.4	115.1	112.0
April ..	106.2	112.9	114.9	111.9	112.7	110.0	132.2	117.5	107.0	115.1	115.3	112.6
May ..	106.1	113.4	114.9	112.3	112.9	109.9	130.4	117.3	107.0	115.3	115.3	112.7
June ..	106.6	113.6	115.4	112.4	113.0	109.8	128.5	117.3	106.9	113.6	115.3	112.6
1970-71—												
July ..	107.4	113.5	115.8	112.8	113.1	109.5	125.6	117.3	107.8	113.6	115.6	112.8
August ..	108.1	115.2	115.9	112.8	113.7	110.1	125.6	117.1	107.8	113.0	116.3	113.2
September ..	108.9	115.6	116.7	112.9	113.9	110.1	121.9	117.2	108.1	111.5	116.7	113.3
October ..	109.4	115.9	117.2	113.9	114.1	110.6	123.2	118.8	108.3	109.9	116.1	113.4
November ..	110.5	116.2	117.3	114.6	114.4	111.2	120.7	119.4	108.7	109.6	116.8	113.8
December ..	110.9	116.7	117.7	115.1	114.6	111.3	120.1	119.8	108.9	109.4	117.0	114.0
January ..	114.7	118.4	118.6	116.1	115.9	113.8	121.4	119.9	109.5	109.7	118.9	115.5
February ..	115.4	120.2	119.1	119.8	116.5	115.5	119.3	123.5	110.5	108.7	121.2	116.6
March ..	116.8	120.9	120.5	121.2	117.2	116.0	119.5	125.8	111.9	110.6	122.0	117.7
April ..	117.4	120.9	121.1	121.4	117.4	116.1	119.3	126.0	113.9	111.7	122.7	118.2
May p ..	117.9	121.1	121.4	121.6	117.7	116.0	119.0	125.5	113.8	111.6	122.3	118.3
June p ..	118.0	121.5	121.4	121.5	121.1	116.0	119.1	125.4	114.0	111.6	122.8	119.4

(a) Figures are shown to one decimal place to avoid distortions that would occur in rounding off the index numbers to the nearest whole number. (b) The whole of the group Electrical Installation Materials and the majority of the items in the group Mechanical Services Components are based on Sydney and Melbourne price series. (c) The indicator used for this group is the Wholesale Price Index of Electrical Installation Materials.

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## All Groups Index Numbers—Six State Capital Cities

(Base of each index: Year 1966-67 = 100.0) (a)

Period	State capital cities—separately and combined						Weighted average of six State capital cities
	Sydney	Melbourne	Brisbane	Adelaide	Perth	Hobart	
1966-67 ..	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1967-68 ..	103.4	101.3	103.4	102.1	104.0	101.8	102.7
1968-69 ..	109.3	103.6	105.6	107.0	105.9	104.1	106.3
1969-70 ..	115.2	107.2	109.4	112.4	110.3	107.7	110.9
1970-71 p ..	119.8	112.3	115.2	116.7	113.9	114.3	115.7
1968-69 —							
May ..	113.3	105.3	107.3	110.3	107.0	105.1	108.8
June ..	113.6	105.7	107.5	110.3	107.8	105.5	109.1
1969-70 —							
July ..	113.5	105.9	108.0	110.8	108.3	105.8	109.3
August ..	113.7	106.5	108.0	110.9	108.8	106.1	109.7
September ..	113.7	106.8	108.1	111.8	109.8	106.2	110.1
October ..	114.5	107.0	108.8	112.0	110.0	106.9	110.4
November ..	114.6	107.1	108.7	112.1	110.2	107.0	110.5
December ..	114.6	106.9	109.1	112.3	110.4	107.2	110.6
January ..	115.2	107.1	109.3	112.3	110.4	107.8	110.9
February ..	115.7	107.5	109.9	112.6	110.4	108.0	111.3
March ..	116.4	107.5	110.6	113.8	110.8	108.1	111.7
April ..	116.9	107.9	110.8	114.1	111.3	109.1	112.2
May ..	117.0	107.9	110.6	113.0	111.6	109.3	112.1
June ..	116.9	107.9	110.7	113.6	111.0	110.5	112.1
1970-71 —							
July ..	117.2	108.2	111.2	113.2	111.0	110.9	112.3
August ..	117.4	108.4	111.7	113.3	111.1	111.0	112.5
September ..	117.4	108.8	112.1	114.2	111.0	111.1	112.7
October ..	117.6	109.5	112.6	114.5	111.2	111.3	113.1
November ..	118.0	110.2	112.9	115.4	111.7	112.9	113.7
December ..	118.3	110.5	113.0	115.5	113.4	113.1	114.2
January ..	119.5	112.1	113.6	115.7	114.8	113.4	115.3
February ..	120.9	115.1	118.2	117.1	115.0	r 117.0	117.5
March ..	122.2	115.9	r 118.9	r 119.4	r 116.1	r 117.5	r 118.6
April ..	122.8	116.2	119.2	119.9	116.8	117.6	119.1
May p ..	122.9	116.4	119.2	120.7	117.1	117.5	119.3
June p ..	123.2	116.6	119.5	121.0	117.6	117.8	119.6

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## GROUP INDEX NUMBERS

WEIGHTED AVERAGE OF SIX STATE CAPITAL CITIES

(Base of each Index: Year 1966-67 = 100.0(a))

Period	Concrete mix, cement and sand	Cement pro- ducts	Clay bricks, tiles, etc.	Timber, board and joinery	Steel pro- ducts	Other metal pro- ducts	Plumb- ing fixtures, etc.	Elect- rical instal- lation ma- terials	Instal- led ap- pliances	Plaster and plaster pro- ducts	Miscel- laneous ma- terials	All groups
1966-67	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1967-68	101.6	102.8	103.6	103.0	101.9	103.9	101.7	103.3	100.0	101.7	102.9	102.7
1968-69	103.8	107.0	107.8	108.6	104.8	106.3	102.0	105.2	99.7	103.0	104.5	106.3
1969-70	107.1	112.6	112.4	113.5	110.0	111.8	108.7	115.8	102.2	105.1	107.4	110.9
1970-71 p	113.4	121.8	118.0	118.5	115.0	112.4	113.6	115.0	103.8	109.4	111.0	115.7
1968-69—												
May	105.1	109.9	109.4	112.4	107.3	109.5	103.7	108.3	99.7	103.9	104.9	108.8
June	105.1	110.8	109.6	112.8	107.2	110.4	103.7	110.2	99.8	104.1	105.0	109.1
1969-70—												
July	105.4	110.9	109.9	112.7	107.4	110.0	105.7	112.2	101.1	104.1	105.4	109.3
August	106.7	111.1	109.9	113.2	107.8	110.5	105.7	112.4	101.2	104.1	105.7	109.7
September	107.3	111.2	110.7	113.2	108.4	111.3	105.5	114.3	101.2	104.1	106.8	110.1
October	107.4	111.6	111.1	113.6	109.1	110.6	107.2	114.3	102.5	104.1	107.2	110.4
November	107.3	111.7	111.3	113.6	109.0	111.2	107.9	113.1	102.7	104.3	107.3	110.5
December	107.3	111.7	111.3	113.4	109.1	111.8	109.0	115.5	102.3	104.3	107.3	110.6
January	108.0	111.7	112.7	113.4	109.5	112.1	109.2	115.5	102.3	104.5	107.6	110.9
February	107.8	113.7	113.6	113.0	110.7	112.3	110.8	115.5	102.7	106.3	107.6	111.3
March	107.3	113.8	114.2	113.7	111.7	112.8	111.0	115.5	102.7	106.3	108.3	111.7
April	106.4	114.7	114.3	114.1	112.1	114.3	111.3	120.9	102.8	106.4	108.5	112.2
May	107.0	114.7	114.6	114.1	112.2	112.5	110.4	120.9	102.8	106.4	108.5	112.1
June	107.4	114.8	115.0	114.1	112.7	111.8	110.4	119.4	102.5	106.4	108.5	112.1
1970-71—												
July	107.8	114.8	115.4	114.5	113.0	110.6	110.2	119.7	102.5	107.0	108.9	112.3
August	108.5	116.2	115.3	114.5	113.1	110.9	110.4	118.6	102.5	107.0	109.4	112.5
September	109.5	116.9	115.8	114.6	113.4	110.5	110.4	117.0	102.9	107.2	109.6	112.7
October	110.2	117.1	116.0	115.3	113.5	110.5	112.4	114.3	102.9	107.2	109.7	113.1
November	111.4	118.5	116.5	115.9	113.6	111.3	112.5	114.5	103.3	107.3	109.9	113.7
December	111.7	119.4	117.5	116.2	113.7	111.7	112.8	114.5	103.5	109.1	110.1	114.2
January	114.8	124.7	117.6	117.2	113.9	112.5	112.9	114.5	103.9	109.2	110.9	115.3
February	115.9	126.2	118.3	121.4	115.1	113.0	115.9	112.5	105.0	109.4	112.1	117.5
March	117.2	126.9	119.8	122.8	116.5	114.2	116.7	112.5	104.9	109.4	113.0	118.6
April	117.6	126.5	120.9	123.1	116.9	114.2	116.8	113.3	104.8	113.2	113.0	119.1
May p	118.0	126.7	121.4	123.3	117.2	114.4	116.4	113.5	104.9	113.3	112.8	119.3
June p	118.1	127.3	121.4	123.4	120.2	114.6	116.2	115.0	104.9	113.2	112.9	119.6

(a) Figures are shown to one decimal place to avoid distortions that would occur in rounding off the index numbers to the nearest whole number.

## FARM PRODUCTION PRICE INDEXES

The annual indexes shown in the following table relate to average 'prices' of farm products realised in the principal markets of Australia. The 'price' data used are average unit values for the total quantities of the relevant commodities produced or marketed in each year and the indexes therefore measure both the effects of changes in prices (as such) and of variations in the quality, type, usage, etc., of products marketed. The indexes for any year relate to the average values of farm products produced or marketed in that year, irrespective of the periods in which payment is received by producers.

The indexes shown below are the revised series (December 1952) in which average quantities of each product marketed in the period 1946-47 to 1950-51 have been used as fixed weights.

(Base: average of 3 years ended June 1939 = 100)

Year	Agriculture	Pastoral	Farmyard and dairying	All farming	Wool (shorn and dead)	Products other than wool
1960-61	349	443	402	401	397	403
1961-62	348	421	373	385	412	376
1962-63	334	450	388	396	449	378
1963-64	351	511	402	431	531	398
1964-65	351	460	423	415	437	408
1965-66	354	501	422	431	458	423
1966-67	350	496	418	427	433	425
1967-68	371	457	413	417	382	429
1968-69	334	488	424	420	408	424
1969-70	348	451	427	411	343	434

## EXPORT PRICE INDEX

The table below sets out export price index numbers on the reference base: Year 1959-60 = 100. Figures since June 1969 have been compiled on an interim basis which incorporates a re-weighting (1969-70 basis) of the items contained in the previous series and the inclusion of some additional items. The interim series have been linked to the previous series at June 1969. A comprehensive review and re-basing of the index is expected to be completed later this year.

A detailed description of the index as constructed up to June 1969 is given in Commonwealth Year Book No. 55, 1970 (pages 240-242). The interim series was introduced in the July 1970 issue of bulletin, reference No. 9. 2.

(Base of each index: year 1959-60 = 100)

Period	Wool	Meats	Dairy produce	Cereals	Dried and canned fruits	Sugar	Hides and tallow	Metals and coal (a)	Gold	All groups
1967-68	95	125	79	109	95	67	67	120	104	100
1968-69	99	131	72	104	97	72	73	123	117	102
1969-70(b)	87	148	73	96	p99	93	94	143	109	(c)p103
1970-71	p67	152	88	p100	p102	p113	p94	p139	109	p101
1969-70—	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b) (c)
April	85	152	74	94	100	93	98	148	103	104
May	83	153	75	92	101	98	95	150	104	103
June	79	153	76	91	p101	95	94	148	102	p102
1970-71—										
July	79	151	78	93	p101	92	95	146	102	p101
August	75	149	79	94	p101	106	95	141	102	p101
September	71	144	81	95	p100	115	97	141	104	p100
October	63	149	83	96	p100	113	99	140	106	p98
November	68	147	86	97	p100	113	98	138	108	p100
December	65	146	87	97	p100	102	97	138	108	p98
January	64	150	87	105	p100	p101	93	137	109	p100
February	64	152	86	103	p105	p121	92	137	112	p100
March	64	156	89	106	p105	p118	92	135	112	p101
April	64	158	91	106	p106	p120	92	138	112	p102
May	p64	159	101	104	p106	p138	91	p139	115	p104
June	p65	158	107	p104	p105	p115	p91	p137	115	p103

(a) Comprises coal, iron and steel, copper, zinc, lead and silver. Does not include iron ore, bauxite, alumina and mineral sands, which however have been included in the "All groups" index from July 1969 on. (b) Interim series linked as at June 1969. (c) Interim series includes, in addition to the specified groups, the four items iron ore, bauxite, alumina and mineral sands.

## ECONOMIC CENSUSES 1968-69

In respect of the year 1968-69 the Commonwealth Bureau of Census and Statistics conducted censuses of manufacturing, mining, retail trade, and wholesale trade on a fully integrated basis. For a detailed description of the purposes served by this project, and of the new concepts and methods adopted the reader is referred to the special article on the censuses in Chapter 31 of the Year Book No. 56, 1970.

Full preliminary results and explanatory notes were published in the following Preliminary Statements from the Economic Census 1968-69: Manufacturing Establishments and Electricity and Gas Establishments (Reference No. 12. 22); Mining Establishments (Reference No. 10.48); Retail Establishments and Selected Service Establishments (Reference No. 11.7); and Wholesale Establishments (Reference No. 11.51).

### MINING ESTABLISHMENTS—SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS, BY INDUSTRY SUB-DIVISION: AUSTRALIA, 1968-69

Industry sub-division	Number of establishments operating during 1968-69	Persons employed (a)	Wages and salaries	Sales, transfers out and other operating revenue	Stocks at 30 June		Purchases, transfers in and selected expenses	Value added (b)
					1968	1969		
	No.	No.	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Metallic minerals .. ..	343	27,184	116.8	640.8	58.4	71.8	223.4	430.8
Coal .. ..	152	19,342	92.8	333.0	27.6	29.4	130.6	204.3
Crude petroleum including natural gas .. ..	9		24.5	121.0	9.4	10.1	46.2	75.6
Construction materials ..	870	6,988	5.7	33.7	2.6	3.0	15.6	18.6
Other non-metallic minerals ..	342	1,781						
Total mining, excluding services to mining ..	1,716	55,295	239.8	1,128.6	98.1	114.3	415.7	729.2

## MINING ESTABLISHMENTS—STATES AND TERRITORIES: 1968-69

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
Establishments operating in 1968-69 .. ..	No. 663	276	332	166	166	85	21	7	1,716
Persons employed(a) ..	No. 23,316	5,138	10,405	2,009	9,343	3,940	1,048	96	55,295
	\$m 106.6	\$m 21.9	\$m 48.2	\$m 7.1	\$m 34.0	\$m 16.3	\$m 5.4	\$m 0.4	\$m 239.8
Wages and salaries ..	367.4	83.6	231.0	79.8	270.8	59.1	35.3	1.7	1,128.6
Sales and transfers out and other operating revenue ..	34.0	12.4	15.6	3.1	21.1	7.4	4.4	0.1	98.1
Stocks at 30 June—1968 .. ..	37.6	9.8	19.0	3.6	30.6	8.6	5.1	0.1	114.3
1969 .. ..	147.6	32.7	81.6	26.3	92.0	19.8	14.9	0.7	415.7
Purchases and transfers in and selected expenses ..	223.4	48.3	152.8	54.1	188.2	40.4	21.1	1.0	729.2
Value added(b) .. ..									

(a) At end of June 1969; includes working proprietors. (b) Sales, transfers out and other operating revenue, plus increase (or less decrease) in the value of stocks, less purchases, transfers in and selected expenses.

NOTE: Direct comparisons with figures for previous years are not possible because of changes in the census units, the scope of the census and the items of data.

**MANUFACTURING ESTABLISHMENTS—SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS, BY INDUSTRY SUB-DIVISION: AUSTRALIA, 1968-69**

Industry sub-division	Number of establishments operating during 1968-69	Persons employed (a)	Wages and salaries	Sales, transfers out and other operating revenue	Stocks at 30 June		Purchases, transfers in and selected expenses	Value added (b)
					1968	1969		
	No.	No.	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Food, beverages and tobacco ..	5,613	194,051	567.1	4,202.2	513.4	556.3	3,036.9	1,208.3
Textiles; clothing and footwear ..	4,488	181,817	421.9	1,685.0	307.8	325.5	996.4	706.3
Wood, wood products and furniture ..	6,653	86,668	230.1	954.5	131.7	139.9	557.0	405.6
Paper and paper products, printing ..	3,834	109,370	350.7	1,346.7	177.7	188.7	697.3	660.4
Chemical, petroleum and coal products ..	1,263	68,459	246.8	1,639.0	316.0	312.3	998.6	636.6
Non-metallic mineral products ..	2,063	56,953	190.6	806.6	104.0	112.7	430.6	384.7
Basic metal products ..	413	83,741	317.0	2,070.9	354.2	392.0	1,444.3	664.4
Transport equipment ..	1,473	145,121	462.8	1,987.2	353.2	376.8	1,147.5	863.3
Fabricated metal products; Other machinery and equipment ..	10,697	329,245	1,023.8	3,866.7	811.4	892.1	2,225.3	1,121.9
Miscellaneous manufacturing ..	2,337	64,740	186.1	790.8	135.1	151.2	469.3	337.6
<b>Total manufacturing</b> ..	<b>38,834</b>	<b>1,320,167</b>	<b>3,996.9</b>	<b>19,349.7</b>	<b>3,204.6</b>	<b>3,447.4</b>	<b>12,003.2</b>	<b>7,589.0</b>

**MANUFACTURING ESTABLISHMENTS: STATES AND TERRITORIES 1968-69**

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	ANST.
Establishments operating during 1968-69	No. 14,805	12,487	4,314	3,324	2,774	1,039	75	116	38,834
Persons employed (a)	No. 532,448	452,812	116,448	118,319	63,796	32,465	1,155	2,724	1,320,167
Wages and salaries	\$m 1,657.7	\$m 1,381.3	\$m 317.0	\$m 344.6	\$m 186.8	\$m 96.1	\$m 4.1	\$m 9.3	\$m 3,996.9
Sales and transfers out and other operating revenue	7,622.6	6,658.1	1,927.8	1,613.7	967.8	506.1	22.8	30.8	19,349.7
Stocks at 30 June—									
1968	1,273.8	1,183.9	241.3	278.3	126.4	95.6	2.0	3.4	3,204.6
1969	1,363.9	1,262.5	259.5	308.2	140.6	106.7	2.4	3.6	3,447.4
Purchases and transfers in and selected expenses	4,587.0	4,162.0	1,282.3	1,003.8	625.2	312.8	13.7	16.5	12,003.2
Value added (b)	3,125.6	2,574.7	653.5	639.8	356.8	204.4	9.4	14.7	7,589.0

(a) At end of June 1969; includes working proprietors. (b) Sales, transfers out and other operating revenue, plus increase (or less decrease) in the value of stocks, less purchases, transfers in and selected expenses.

NOTE. Direct comparisons with figures for previous years are not possible because of changes in the census units, the scope of the census and the items of data.

# RETAIL ESTABLISHMENTS—SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS, BY INDUSTRY GROUP: AUSTRALIA, 1968-69

Industry group	Number of establishments operating during 1968-69	Persons employed (a)	Wages and salaries	Sales and other operating revenue	Stocks at 30 June		Purchases, transfers in and selected expenses	Value added (b)
					1968	1969		
	No.	No.	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Department, variety and general stores .. .. .	1,048	98,099	204.2	1,361.9	144.8	199.3	1,017.8	358.6
Food stores .. .. .	55,701	235,314	260.1	3,398.8	176.1	193.3	2,739.9	676.1
Bread and milk vendors .. .. .	5,838	15,445	10.7	205.6	0.7	0.6	160.8	44.7
Clothing, fabrics and furniture stores .. .. .	20,461	86,003	138.6	1,257.6	245.1	261.0	913.2	360.3
Household appliance and hardware stores .. .. .	8,198	41,356	83.9	677.5	106.0	114.6	482.1	204.0
Motor vehicle dealers, petrol and tyre retailers .. .. .	27,126	170,100	356.9	4,165.8	313.6	349.9	3,303.0	899.1
Other retailers .. .. .	19,550	96,431	113.8	994.0	146.6	160.9	687.7	320.6
<b>Total retail establishments</b> .. .. .	<b>137,922</b>	<b>742,748</b>	<b>1,168.2</b>	<b>12,061.2</b>	<b>1,172.9</b>	<b>1,279.6</b>	<b>9,304.5</b>	<b>2,863.4</b>
Motion picture theatres .. .. .	890	7,697	11.5	45.8	0.2	0.2	17.3	28.7
Restaurants and licensed hotels .. .. .	11,844	126,546	206.0	1,239.3	34.6	38.7	754.4	489.0
Licensed clubs .. .. .	2,682	39,950	78.8	337.3	7.5	8.4	137.5	208.7
Laundries and dry cleaners .. .. .	2,245	20,729	36.3	92.7	1.7	1.8	23.8	69.0
Hairstressing and beauty salons .. .. .	9,503	27,576	27.6	89.0	3.8	4.1	22.4	66.9
<b>Total selected service establishments</b> .. .. .	<b>27,173</b>	<b>222,498</b>	<b>360.2</b>	<b>1,804.1</b>	<b>47.6</b>	<b>53.2</b>	<b>955.4</b>	<b>854.1</b>
<b>Total retail and selected service establishments</b> .. .. .	<b>165,095</b>	<b>965,246</b>	<b>1,528.4</b>	<b>13,865.3</b>	<b>1,220.5</b>	<b>1,332.8</b>	<b>10,259.9</b>	<b>3,717.7</b>

## RETAIL ESTABLISHMENTS AND SELECTED SERVICE ESTABLISHMENTS: STATES AND TERRITORIES 1968-69

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
Establishments operating during 1968-69 .. .. .	60,875	46,387	23,909	15,201	12,079	5,021	578	1,045	165,095
Persons employed .. .. .	379,026	266,640	121,978	85,870	70,438	29,667	3,391	8,286	965,246
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Wages and salaries .. .. .	624.7	414.9	185.7	128.8	109.5	40.7	7.2	16.9	1,528.4
Sales and other operating revenue .. .. .	5,294.9	3,846.1	1,835.7	1,165.9	1,121.5	386.7	66.8	148.1	13,865.3
Stocks at 30 June—									
1968 .. .. .	438.2	329.0	172.2	110.2	93.2	38.8	5.8	13.1	1,220.5
1969 .. .. .	495.8	363.8	187.5	120.2	101.8	42.3	7.2	14.2	1,332.8
Purchases, transfers in and selected expenses .. .. .	1,839.7	2,860.5	1,382.5	873.4	853.4	290.5	50.1	109.8	10,259.9
Value added .. .. .	1,492.1	1,020.4	468.1	302.5	275.7	99.7	18.1	39.4	3,717.7

(a) At end of June 1969; includes working proprietors and unpaid helpers working at least 15 hours during the week.

(b) Sales, and other operating revenue plus increase (or less decrease) in the value of stocks, less purchases, transfers in and selected expenses.

NOTE. Direct comparisons with figures from previous retail censuses and from retail surveys are not possible due to changes in units, scope and items of data.

**WHOLESALE ESTABLISHMENTS—SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS,  
BY BROAD TYPE OF OPERATION: AUSTRALIA, 1968-69**

Broad type of operation	Number of establishments operating during 1968-69	Persons employed (a)	Wages and salaries	Sales on own account, transfers out and other operating revenue	Stocks at 30 June		Purchases, transfers in and selected expenses	Value added (b)	Sales or purchases on commission
					1968	1969			
Primary produce dealers or agents	No. 3,666	No. 38,432	\$m 105.9	\$m 1,639.3	\$m 115.9	\$m 112.4	\$m 1,386.8	\$m 249.0	\$m 2,915.1
Wholesale merchants—									
Import and/or export merchants ..	3,320	34,819	109.1	2,300.3	295.5	340.6	2,051.7	293.7	275.5
Other wholesale merchants ..	18,726	204,353	557.8	7,716.9	960.3	1,039.1	6,447.2	1,348.3	334.6
Manufacturers' sales branches holding stocks ..	1,831	30,922	99.3	1,607.1	167.2	188.3	1,288.1	340.1	448.6
Commission agents or brokers ..	3,554	16,690	45.0	392.9	32.1	32.0	284.4	108.4	2,002.3
Petroleum distributors ..	2,458	11,532	76.1	1,636.2	119.8	136.1	1,324.8	327.7	1,364.5
Repairs and lessors of machinery and equipment ..	676	3,892	11.1	58.2	2.9	3.5	21.5	37.4	1.5
Total wholesale trade ..	34,231	350,640	1,004.3	15,350.8	1,693.6	1,851.9	12,804.4	2,704.7	7,342.2

**WHOLESALE ESTABLISHMENTS: STATES AND TERRITORIES 1968-69**

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
Establishments operating during 1968-69	No. 12,197	9,541	4,930	3,162	3,154	906	113	228	34,231
Persons employed (a)	No. 128,196	97,277	48,793	34,193	31,065	8,846	780	1,490	350,640
Wages and salaries ..	\$m 388.9	\$m 290.9	\$m 127.3	\$m 84.5	\$m 82.1	\$m 23.9	\$m 2.4	\$m 4.4	\$m 1,004.3
Sales on own account, transfers out and other operating revenue ..	5,734.0	4,757.7	2,067.6	1,150.0	1,251.5	308.8	30.3	51.0	15,350.8
Stocks at 30 June—									
1968 ..	624.8	551.2	207.0	126.7	137.1	38.5	3.8	4.3	1,693.6
1969 ..	696.4	590.9	223.8	134.0	156.3	41.4	4.3	4.9	1,851.9
Purchases, transfers in and selected expenses ..	4,772.5	3,993.6	1,741.3	935.7	1,042.3	254.8	23.8	40.5	12,804.4
Value added (b) ..	1,033.1	603.9	343.0	221.5	228.3	56.9	7.0	11.1	2,704.7
Sales or purchases on commission	2,656.8	2,346.5	922.6	571.3	653.9	151.4	25.9	14.0	7,342.2

(a) At end of June 1969; includes working proprietors. (b) Sales on own account, transfers out and other operating revenue plus increase (or less decrease) in the value of stocks, less purchases, transfers in and selected expenses.

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